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100,000 SEE HIS PARADE

HUB'S MOST BEAUTIFUL CELTIC GIRL CHOSEN

THE winner of the BOSTON AMERICAN Celtic Beauty Contest was chosen this afternoon.

Her name will be published in to-morrow's AMERICAN. There will be new photographs of this young woman who was selected by a committee of seven representative Bostonians from the hundreds of photographs entered in this great contest.

The winner will be presented with the prize of $100 by Andrew Mack at Friday's night's performance at the Park Theatre. That night's performance will be attended by the contestants at the invitation of the BOSTON AMERICAN and Mr. Mack.

Watch for the name and pictures of Greater Boston's most beautiful Celtic girl!

SCHLEY AND GRANT IN SPANISH VETS' PARADE

6,000 SOLDIERS OF '98 CHEERED BY BOSTON THOUSANDS.

Veterans of two wars to the number of 6,000, in military togs and with the carriage and bearing of true, sturdy sons of Uncle Sam, marched through the streets of Boston this afternoon in the big street parade in connection with the fifth annual encampment and reunion of the United Spanish War Veterans, which will be brought to a successful close with an election of a new set of officers to-morrow.

Conspicuous in the front line of heroes were Admiral Schley and General Grant. They rode in carriages, with other distinguished visitors, at the head of the procession, and were loudly cheered all along the line of march.

The procession started from Commonwealth avenue and Arlington street precisely at the appointed time—2:30 o'clock. Lowering skies, which momentarily threatened to open and deluge the marchers, did not have the slightest effect, so far as the number of men in line was concerned, and the parade in every way equalled all expectations.

Hale Leads Parade.

The line was led by a platoon of mounted police, followed by Commander-in-Chief Hale and his staff of officers, including one representative from each State represented at the reunion. Then came the United States Artillery Band from Fort Banks, followed by one company of Artillery, each, from Fort Andrews, Fort Banks and Fort Revere, of Boston Harbor.

The starting point was thronged by eight seers. All the streets in the immediate vicinity were roped off, and a squad of 250 policemen, under Captain Jones of the Dorchester street station, had in charge to maintain order. Old Glory predominated. Decorations of red, white and blue were to be found in every section.

Thousands joined in a mighty cheer when the order to move was given by Commander Hale. The parade was in six divisions, as nearly as possible of the same numerical strength. Medical stations were provided all along the route of march, which was from Arlington street to Boylston, to Charles, to Boylston, to Tremont, to Winter, to Summer, High, through Federal street to Milk street, to Postoffice square, to Congress street, to State, to Washington to School and thence back to Beacon street.

The long column moved rapidly and there was little, if any, cause for complaint from the Mechanics' Association against streets in the business section being blocked. The route was covered by the marchers in less than an hour.

SHOW ME.

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y.

FOR

1909 NATIONAL CONVENTION

U. S. W. V.

With the distribution in Faneuil Hall of placards bearing the foregoing inscription, delegates from Saratoga Springs to the fifth annual encampment of the United Spanish War Veterans inaugurated a lively fight today for the selection of Saratoga Springs as the next meeting place of the organization, in 1909.

With a half dozen other cities equally anxious for the same honor, the selection of a city promises to precipitate as interesting a fight as the election of officers will arouse to-morrow. Each of the aspiring cities has a campaign committee appointed to work up enthusiasm and solicit pledges from delegates to vote for them.

Saratoga Springs, however, gained quite a lead by putting out a gigantic amount of literature, explaining why that city should be selected and proposing lots of things in the way of entertainment should the Springs be chosen. The principal argument advanced was that Saratoga Springs is logically nearest to the largest number of camps in the organization.

Buttonhole Delegates.

As the delegates arrived at Faneuil Hall for this morning's meeting they were stopped, one by one, and asked what city they favored for the next gathering place. Then, going to their seats, each of them found a bundle of literature awaiting him, further appealing for the selection of that city. The fight was a feature of the day's meeting. The selection will be made to-morrow.

The entire morning was taken up with the annual reports of national officers of the association. They were read and referred to the proper committee in their reading, and discussion of the recommendations some of them contained was deferred until to-morrow in order not to delay the start of this afternoon's parade.

MRS. HAINS ANGRY, BEGINS ACTION TO RECOVER CHILDREN

Threat to Use Boy as Witness Against Her Is Met by Wife of Annis's Slayer.

Mrs. Claudia L. Hains of Winthrop is to-day conferring with her attorney, Herbert L. Norton, with the purpose of devising a legal plan for the seizure of her three children at Fort Hancock, N. J. The mother, angered beyond measure at the declaration of former District Attorney McIntyre of New York that he would place Peter C. Hains, 3d, Mrs. Hains's seven-year-old child, on the witness stand for the defence, plans to get her children and Edward McIntyre.

Histories received late this afternoon from New York are to the effect that District Attorney Darrin of Queens County announced to-day that he would oppose any movement on the part of McIntyre, for the defence at the trial of Captain Peter C. Hains for the murder of William C. Annis, to have the accused man's son testify.

Mr. Darrin takes his stand of determined opposition to the child taking the stand, not on any sentimental ground, but on the sure ugly attitude that a seven-year-old child would be unable to understand the nature of an oath, and hence would be unable to testify.

Expect She Will Win.

But Mrs. Hains desires Attorney Norton to take no chances. She is determined that her own child shall not mount the witness stand and be questioned by the Hains lawyers in an attempt to blacken her and thus in a measure justify the actions of Captain Peter C. Hains, her husband, and Thornton Jenkins Hains, the brother, in the killing of Annis.

Mrs. Hains has, until this time, taken no legal steps toward the recovery of her three little ones, now in Fort Hancock, in the home of General Peter C. Hains, their grandfather.

She has sought to get them and take them to her home in Winthrop Highlands by demanding them. She was promptly refused, as was her mother, Mrs. Charles Libby.

Now, Mrs. Hains proposes to act in her legal right as mother and guardian of her children. These little ones are "Peter C., 3d, aged seven; Hamilton, aged four, and Spencer H., aged one and one-half.

Her attorneys and other legal advisers have told her that there could be no real difficult legal opposition to her obtaining her children. Their father is confined in jail. He is charged with a murder which it is not denied he committed.

Would Be Guardian.

Mrs. Hains, the mother, is free. Her character has not been tainted by any legal process, and she is not in the shadow of the law and would in the eyes of the law be esteemed their proper guardian unless proved otherwise.

Dispatches to-day from New York state that it has been decided to place Captain Jenkins Hains and T. Jenkins Hains on trial at Mineola at the same time in the Queens County Supreme Court. An early trial is to be asked. District Attorney Darrin had, un-kind language which would lift the hair of all in this town, been given to understand a few days ago that the counsel for the Hainses would let her husband's brother had coached the dejected acquittal trials, but after a conference held yesterday it was decided to let certain words and expressions until before them tried together.

So thoroughly angered is the wife of the accused army captain at this effort to shatter her character by the testimony of her eldest son, a mere child, that she boldly denies Thornton Hains of having plotted against her and filling the innocent mind of her boy with hatred and distrust of his father.

Mrs. Hains made some interesting charges in connection with Attorney Gray. She declared if Peter C. Hains, 3d, appeared on the stand as a witness for the defence, it would be because of "the connivance of Jenkins Hains."

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TOM HUGHES TRIES TO PUZZLE THE RED SOX

BATTING ORDER.

WASHINGTON.	BOSTON.
Pickering, c.f.	McConnell, 2b.
Ganley, l.f.	Lord, 3b.
Unglaub, 1b.	Cravath, r.f.
Delehanty, 2b.	Gessler, s.s.
Clymer, c.	Stahl, l.f.
Freeman, 3b.	Wagner, ss.
McBride, s.s.	Sullivan, c.
Street, c.	Criger, c.
Hughes, p.	Morgan, p.

AMERICAN LEAGUE GROUNDS.

Washington, Sept. 2.—With the score standing one game above the Red Sox and Senators came together for their third battle this afternoon. It was a fine day for baseball and a large crowd of fans was on hand to see the sport.

Cantillon's men could ill afford to lose today's game in spite of the fact that Cy Morgan was billed to pitch for the visitors. For the home team Long Tom Hughes was signed for Cantillon to keep up the good work started by Smith yesterday, when he shut out the Red Sox.

President Taylor is still with the Boston outfit, but the temporary Manager Fred Lake are in frequent consultations. Taylor is anxious to win every game in sight, and is urging Lake to keep the team keyed up to its top notch.

Cantillon has boasted that his team will land ahead of the Red Sox at the close of the American League season, but the members of the Boston aggregation say the Washington manager has another guess coming.

There was every indication of a hot battle when the two teams got under way with the direction of Umpires Hurst and O'Loughlin.

EMERSON CUTS OFF FIVE HEADS

Superintendent of Streets Guy C. Emerson to-day shook up the veterinarians in his department, dropping five from the roster and adding two new ones and making five districts in place of eight. In addition to this the pay of the new men was cut from $12 per week to $10, and the pay of horses was dropped from $12 per year to $9, this to include care and medicines. Each veterinary will have the care of 100 horses in his district.

Drs. Daniel C. White and Arthur W. May of Dorchester, Fish were the new appointees. Drs. L. T. Herrington of South Boston, W. H. Simpson of Dorchester, Samuel T. Keough of Charlestown, Wilbert Smith of South End and J. Lincoln of South End were dropped.

With the new appointees those retained are Drs. S. H. Howard, chief veterinary; Francis McDonald and R. E. Boyle.

DOVES' GAME IS OFF; 2 GAMES TO-MORROW

The Giants were lined up in their intention to take another game from the Doves this afternoon, as the national game called off at 2 o'clock on account of wet grounds, and the announcement of another double-header to-morrow beginning at 1 o'clock will mark the departure of the Giants for other parts.

The Doves should have a good chance of taking one of the brace of games, and if is the last chance they will have to knock down the pennant hunters.

ARREST ARMED TRIO AS BANDIT SUSPECTS

LYNN, Sept. 2.—Three swarthy foreigners, all armed to the teeth and carrying searchlights, were surrounded and captured after a fight in a dark, narrow alley here by four policemen at 2:30 o'clock this morning.

The authorities of that city are holding the men on a charge of vagrancy, but believe that they were out to break into some residence or business place, and they may have participated in some of the bandit outrages which have been so frequent along the North Shore.

The police departments of Boston and other cities have been notified of the capture and after the men are arraigned in court to-day the outside authorities will be given a chance to look up the records of the suspects.

Four Police Surround Them.

Night Patrolman Phillips was responsible for the round-up. While on his beat in Chatham street, near Essex, he saw the three men and thought they looked suspicious. Knowing that Officers Hall, Ryan and Merrill were coming off duty and would pass the corner shortly, he awaited them.

In the meantime, the trio skulked down the street and ran into the three policemen going home. They had removed their hats and uniform coats, but the officers soon feared they were officers, and again turned about.

Phillips from a hiding place saw them sneak into Mechanics court, between Nos. 138 and 144 Chatham street. As soon as Phillips was reinforced all four police darted stealthily into the dark recess and pounced upon the men in hiding behind a fence.

They put up a slight resistance, but were taken too much by surprise to draw guns or knives.

The handcuffs were slipped on, and six pockets searched. They had fairly-tight clothes, revolvers, two Italian stilettos, a dirk, two searchlights such as are carried by burglars, and their pockets were well supplied with cartridges.

The men told conflicting stories about living in both Boston and Buffalo, saying they were going to visit an uncle of one of them in Lynn. They gave the following names:

Cresson Cresto, twenty-seven years old.

Tony Riolo, twenty-six.

Tiriolano Chrestino, twenty-two.

The men range from 130 to 160 pounds in weight and are of medium height.

Held in $2,000 Each.

Believing that the three men can be identified by the police departments of other cities, Deputy Chief of Police Daniel H. Bartlett urged Judge Lummus in the Lynn Police Court to-day to postpone their hearings until to-morrow and, in the meantime, hold them in bail which could not be furnished.

Judge Lummus, accordingly, continued the hearings until to-morrow morning, holding the men in bond of $2,000 each, which they could not furnish.

DUTCH RUSH WAR PLANS

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—"Holland is preparing for war with Venezuela and if the complications now existing between the two countries are not satisfactory solved otherwise by an apology from President Castro, there will be no hesitancy on the part of my country in compelling the Venezuelan country to behave."

H. L. Hibbe of Amsterdam, Holland, a prominent electrical engineer, who is at the hotel Astor, made the above declaration this morning, in connection with the crisis and the feeling in his own country.

LOSES LIFE SAVINGS TO TWO STRANGERS

The Charlestown police to-day are looking for two Italians who relieved Ernest F. Lieis of New Bedford of $270, the savings of his lifetime, with which he was going back to Portugal to his family. In a Charlestown saloon yesterday. On Water street near the White Star line docks, Lieis met the two Italians, who invited him into a nearby barroom. One of the men asked Lieis if he could send the money until the latter returned from the steamer, saying that they would meet him at the dock, and Lieis handed him the money.

POLICE SEARCH FOR CRAZED FIREBUG

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—That a pyromaniac is responsible for eight fires on the upper East Side last night and early to-day, which endangered the lives of hundreds of people, is the opinion of Deputy Fire Chief Dougherty. "I think that some lunatic, crazed on the subject of fires, is jumping from place to place, setting fire to tenements," he said. "If he is not caught before long he may cost scores of lives in some midnight holocaust."

BALLOONISTS NOW FAST RECOVERING

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Sept. 2.—After a rather slight upset in the Mesopotamia pilot in this city, the three balloonists who landed their balloon, the Ville de Dieppe, near the city's limits yesterday, are much improved. To-day the big gas bag will be shipped to Chicago.

CARNEY TRUSTEES UPHELD BY COURT

Judge Braley of the Supreme Court has affirmed the decree of the Probate Court allowing the accounts of Winslow Warren and Andre C. Reggio, trustees under the will of Andrew Carney, who died in 1864 leaving an estate of several millions of dollars. Mrs. Mary P. Rhodes, a granddaughter of Mr. Carney, and her daughters objected to the expenditure incurred in the erection of the Carney building on Tremont street.

POOR'S GRAVES UNCARED FOR

"The condition of the potter's field at Mt. Hope Cemetery is an outrage and a disgrace to the city," declared Mayor Hibbard to-day. After visiting the plot he summarily ordered the Cemetery Trustees to take immediate action to have the plot placed in proper condition and to report to him why the field appears to have been given over or no attention by the cemetery trustees.

The visit to Mt. Hope was taken by the Mayor after a protest by Alderman W. Brenton Parker, who asserted that the graves of Confederate soldiers buried in the cemetery received no care by the cemetery committee.

Mayor Hibbard desires the graves marked in which the same was as the military dead.

BRADLEY WINS IN MICHIGAN.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 2.—Returns coming in from various districts in Michigan indicate that Dr. James B. Bradley of Eaton Rapids will be the Republican nominee for Governor. While the returns for the State primary held yesterday are not complete, the plurality of Dr. Bradley over Governor Fred M. Warner will be approximately three thousand.

SULLIVAN OUT FOR KELIHER

Much surprise was manifested in Democratic circles today on the announcement of Representative John T. Sullivan, chairman of the Ward 2 Democratic Committee, that he intended to support John A. Keliher for Congress against ex-Congressman Joseph A. Conry, who is a member of the East Boston Ward Committee, of which he is chairman.

Mr. Sullivan's reasons for his supporting Mr. Keliher were given out by him in a lengthy statement, the sentiment of which was to the effect that he did not feel that Mr. Conry had the majority of the votes of the ward behind him, and did not even have influence enough to bring together a majority of the Ward Committee to donate to his favor.

RING OPENS LAW OFFICE IN BOSTON

William B. Ring of Lowell to-day opened a branch law office at No. 925 Kirstall building. Mr. Ring, who is one of the best known attorneys in Lowell, has been prominently mentioned as candidate for Attorney-General on the Independence League ticket.

20 HUB TEACHERS ON PENSION LIST

In accordance with the provisions of the act of 1906 twenty teachers in the Boston public schools have been retired on pension. They are the first body of teachers who have so favored. The school season will be next week and many changes will be noted in the composition of the staffs in the several districts

THROW BOY TO DEATH IN FIRE

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Thrown into a bonfire by his companions with whom he was playing, Joseph Anthony Puglisi, a wealthy cloth merchant, was burned to death to-day in the rear of his home at No. 218 Bowrun place, Williamsburg.

The boy with a half dozen companions was playing "scrub" in the big lawn at the rear of his home, and following a "touch down" a big bonfire of rubbish was lighted. While dancing around the fire in glee, the boy, assisted by one of his companions tripped Anthony and the boy with a scream fell into the flames.

CARNEGIE MAKES APPEAL FOR HUGHES

CLASHMOI, Scotland, Sept. 2.—"Apart from party, every good citizen should support Governor Hughes, because he stands for all that is best."—Andrew Carnegie."

This quick dispatch in reply to one of the requests for expression of opinion about the advisability of Governor Hughes's re-election was sent out by the Evening Post.

REAR ADMIRAL GLASS DEAD IN CALIFORNIA

PASO ROBLES, Cal., Sept. 2.—Rear Admiral Henry Glass, U. S. N., retired, is dead, following an operation performed several days ago at his home in Berkeley. Admiral Glass, who was sixty-four years old, had been ill for two months.

SHOTS FLY IN STOCK EXCHANGE AT LONDON

Special Cable to Boston American.

LONDON, Sept. 2.—There was wild excitement on the stock exchange during the last half hour of trading to-day, but it was not due to any sensational fluctuation in values.

An unknown man, supposed to be insane, dashed into the exchange about half-past three and fired three shots from a revolver at the clerks behind the consol market.

The members were seized with a panic and stampeded at the first shot. Despite the cleverness of the range and the suddenness of the man's attack, no one was hurt, for Exchange attendants overpowered the wild man, who struggled violently, and turned him over to the police.

HOW TO MAKE ADVERTISING PAY.

First be sure you have something the people want, then describe it carefully and price it attractively; then go into more than one hundred thousand homes some evening when the family are together and tell them all about it—if you haven't the time to do this, let the BOSTON AMERICAN do it for you with its tremendous evening circulation, twice as great as all the other evening papers combined.

THE WEATHER.

Fair and cooler to-night and Thursday. Light westerly winds.

High tide 3:20 a. m., 3:40 p. m.

Sun rises 5:11 a. m., sets 6:17 p. m.

Moon sets 9:46 p. m.

FITZGERALD TO SAIL FOR HOME ON SATURDAY

Former Mayor's Daughters to Remain Abroad to Complete Education.

HONORED BY EUROPEANS

Former Mayor John F. Fitzgerald and Mrs. Fitzgerald will soon be home in Boston. They have planned to sail from Bremen for New York on Saturday next and are expected in Boston by September 12 or 13. Their daughters, the Misses Rose and Agnes Fitzgerald, will remain in Brussels for a time to complete studies they have begun abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald have made an extensive European tour. The former Mayor has received many attentions from public officials and bodies while on the other side of the water.

His reception in Ireland was especially warm. Lord Mayors called to do him honor and everywhere in the land of his ancestors he was greeted as a very distinguished Bostonian and American public. They knew of him in Great Britain both as a former Mayor and because of his congressional career.

While he was in England he was the guest of Sir Thomas Lipton on the latter's palatial steam yacht, and among the others entertained by the America cup seeker at the same time were some of the highest nobles in the United Kingdom. A duke was one of former Mayor Fitzgerald's fellow guests.

Mr. Fitzgerald while in England stated to a BOSTON AMERICAN correspondent that he had been interested in municipal ownership in Europe, and had found that public ownership of public utilities worked so well abroad that he believed it ought to be tried in America, although he remained, he said, that it would be more difficult, owing to a difference in conditions, to make it practical here.

He said he was going to run for re-election as Mayor of Boston as an advocate of municipal ownership. He said he had no doubt but that he would be renominated and re-elected.

Ex-Mayor John F. Fitzgerald On Sir Thomas Lipton's Yacht

The above picture is part of a photograph, just received from the AMERICAN'S London bureau, of a party on Sir Thomas Lipton's yacht Erin, in which were James B. Connolly, the novelist; the Duke of Manchester and the American Olympian victors. The picture shows the ex-Mayor and one of Lipton's women guests in the foreground, and the famous cup challenger in the rear.

DRAG BAY FOR SEVEN LOST ON YACHTING TRIP

DEER ISLE, Me., Sept. 2.—The inhabitants o fthis little island, with the remaining members of the Summer colony, mustering every craft on the place, today searched the waters of Penobscot Bay and the shores of its many islands for the bodies of the seven victims of yesterday's drowning accident, led by two of the three persons who had managed to save their lives, after the capsizing of their thirty-five-foot sloop.

A simple sloop inaugurated the day's search, sailing shortly after daybreak in an effort to determine the fate of Jason H. Hutchins, a divinity student of Hillsdale, Mass., of which there was considerable doubt, it being believed by the survivors that he might possibly have made his way to the adjacent shore of Barren island, which was but a short distance away and really quite safe for him to reach, it was believed, as he was a strong swimmer.

The search, however, proved to be without result. The other persons who were drowned were Miss Alice Patten of Worcester, Miss Eleanor Paine, her sister, Misses Lottie and Evelyn Redway of Baltimore, Mrs. Lucy S. Crowley of Philadelphia, wife of Professor Crowley, who was one of those saved, and Miss Elizabeth G. Evans of Mount Holyoke College.

TOWN REOPENS LIGHT FIGHT

The town of Winchester has filed a petition with the Board of Gas and Electric Light Commissioners, asking for a re-opening of its case against the Edison Electric Illuminating Company. Several months ago the town petitioned the commissioner to order the company to furnish a better quality of light at the price they are now receiving; it being a fact that other towns get better results from their contracts with the company. The commissioner decided, however, that the company was furnishing the quality of light called for by its contract with the town, and ruled that under these conditions it could take no action, but it gave the town the privilege of reopening the case at any time with the filing of a petition under which the board could act.

COONEY LOSES HIS AUTOMOBILE LICENSE

Thomas Cooney of No. 17 Grant street, Dorchester, who, on Monday night, Aug. 31, in driving an automobile, ran down Mrs. Annie Richmond of 102 Westminster street, injuring her and hitting a lady in her arms, has lost his license as a chauffeur by the summary action of the Board of Highway Commissioners.

A Quicker Way To Wash Clothes,

An easier way, a better way—the P. & G. Naphtha Soap way.

P. & G. Naphtha Soap is used by women who have learned, by actual experience, that there is a better way, an easier way, a quicker way to wash clothes than the old-fashioned, work-all-day-in-a-hot-room way.

These women no longer boil their clothes.

They no longer rub the life out of them on a washboard.

They no longer stand for hours over tubs of hot water, the steam of which makes everything in the room, damp and uncomfortable.

Best of all: By using P. & G. Naphtha Soap, they are able to do as much work in a morning as used to take a whole day.

5 Cents a Cake—Worth More.

PROCTER & GAMBLE (P&G) NAPHTHA SOAP

RECORDS PROVE B. & M. HOLDS 'NARROW GAUGE'

STATE HOUSE REPORTS SHOW MAJORITY OF STOCK IS IN TUTTLE'S CONTROL.

That the Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn Railroad, better known as the "Narrow Gauge," is mostly owned by folks who also own the stock of the Boston & Maine Railroad, was shown conclusively today by an inspection of the records in the office of the Commissioner of Corporations at the State House. There are 5,500 shares of "Narrow Gauge" stock. Exactly 4,467 of them are in the hands of people who have also invested in the stock of Maine.

The official records confirm every detail of the BOSTON AMERICAN'S exclusive story of Sunday. That story was also confirmed today by the Boston Herald, which went into details with names and figures.

President Lucius Tuttle of the Boston & Maine was positive, on Monday, that the Boston & Maine Railroad is not the owner of the Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn.

What Directors Say.

It isn't—any more than the New Haven Railroad was the owner of a controlling interest of the Boston & Maine Railroad held in the names of New Haven "interests." The law says that no railroad corporation, without the consent of the Legislature, shall directly or indirectly invest in the shares of any other corporation.

President Melvin O. Adams of the "Narrow Gauge," his son, Karl Adams, and Superintendent Fenno A. Fenno were asked today to tell the BOSTON AMERICAN how they and William F. Spaulding, a fourth director, sold on one day their entire holdings in the road.

"It's all my private business; I don't want to talk to the public," President Mel. is in Dick Croker before the Lexow Committee.

"Pa did it!" said Herr Director Karl Adams, explaining how he "sacrificed" all of the 852 shares of "Narrow Gauge" standing in his name. "My pa really owned all of that block, you know, and I loaned it back to him. You'd really have to see M. O."

Superintendent Fenno, who disposed of 725 shares—the same number that were bought by Attorney Henry F. Hurlburt of the Boston & Maine—was equally uncommunicative.

"You mustn't ask me anything about stock transfers," he said.

"You will have to ask President Adams."

"Mel's" Job Uncertain.

The latter was found pondering over his books in his office in the Tremont building.

"What did you want to ask me? Fire away," he said.

"Does the Boston & Maine control your road, Mr. Adams?"

"I don't want to talk to you, I guess. What else?"

"Would you be willing to tell me?" continued the AMERICAN reporter, "what you did with that 975 shares of stock you sold recently?"

"What stock? I don't know anything about stock," replied the railway magnate. "Anyway, that's no way to ask me questions."

"You told me to fire away, Mr. Adams," blandly said the scribe. "Won't you tell me to whom you sold it?"

"No, I don't want to talk about it."

"Anybody ask you to sell out?"

"Well, another man, either."

"I notice that you, your son Karl, Superintendent Fenno and Mr. Spaulding, all of whom had control of the 'Narrow Gauge,' disposed of 5,053 shares, and that you now have only 228 shares left, all together. Aren't you afraid, Mr. Adams, that the four directors will be ousted. Are you sure of your jobs, Mr. Adams?"

The president laughed. "No, by gosh, I'm not. They're likely to fire me any day," he rejoined with a grin.

"I'll tell you, I don't talk about those things. I'm here to run the railroad and I do it to the best of my ability. And if you want to ask me anything about time tables—unless the next train goes—I'll tell you all about it."

Really Couldn't Say."

Superintendent Fenno, who is a very courteous gentleman, though reserved in his discussion of "Narrow Gauge" affairs, frankly admits that some persons other than the Boston & Maine people hold a controlling interest in his railroad corporation.

"Somebody's been duping you, though," he said. "The Boston & Maine does NOT own or control the road."

"Either directly or indirectly?" he was asked.

"Neither directly nor indirectly," was the response.

"Then who does, Mr. Fenno?"

"That I cannot say. You will have to ask Mr. Adams."

Well, Mr. Fenno, you sold 725 shares. Attorney Hurlburt of the Boston & Maine bought the same number. Did you sell to him?"

"I cannot answer you."

"Technically" in Control.

The Boston News Bureau, generally considered a corporation mouthpiece, says:

"It has been no secret in State Street for years that the Boston & Maine controlled the Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn through ownership of the stock standing in names friendly to the Boston & Maine. During the past year there has been a change of ownership of a stock controlling interest and technically the Boston & Maine may not now control the property. Notice the word 'technically.'"

It is no secret among Boston financiers that the "Narrow Gauge" has long been a thorn in the side of the Boston & Maine owing to competition for passenger traffic along the North Shore. Some twenty years ago it is declared that the old Eastern railroad, now part of the Boston & Maine system, paid annual tribute to the Revere Beach & Lynn Company to influence the smaller company to maintain passenger rates in most those of the Eastern.

After a time this arrangement did not prove satisfactory, and the Boston & Maine interests began buying into the stock of the "Narrow Gauge." This movement ended with the acquisition of far more than a working majority of the stock.

GENERAL BANCROFT MEETS COMRADES

One of the pleasant features of the encampment of the Spanish War Veterans was a call upon General Bancroft of the Elevated Road by a number of Wisconsin soldiers who served under the general during the war. The Wisconsin people belonged to the First Wisconsin, and are members of the William A. Bancroft Camp No. 16, U. S. W. V. of Racine, named after the general. They included Department Commander Ezra L. Evans, who during the war was color clerk at General Bancroft's headquarters; General Bancroft's two aides, Captain Lesley Leland and Frank S. Parks, also met the visitors.

PROUTY'S PLURALITY IN VERMONT ABOUT 29,000

INDEPENDENCE PARTY TRIUMPHS IN ELECTION OF SIX LEGISLATORS.

MONTPELIER, Vt., Sept. 2.—With nineteen small towns still missing, and unlikely to be heard from for perhaps a day or two longer, it is estimated that the plurality of Governor-elect George H. Prouty of Newport will be about 29,000. Returns at hand from the six cities and 221 out of 240 towns give Prouty, Republican, 43,042; Burke, Democrat, 15,318; Stickles, Independence party, 2,225; Campbell, Prohibitionist, 861, and Dunbar, Socialist, 403 votes. The Socialists failed to poll 1 per cent. of the total vote and lose their standing as a party.

In the opinion of well informed publicmen here at the capital the final and official tabulation of the returns will show that the Independence party ticket polled some hundreds of votes more than are now credited to it. Scores of the smaller towns have as yet reported only the votes cast for the candidates of the two old parties. These first and unofficial returns were for newspaper purposes only.

Make Surprising Run.

With practically no funds, without an organization except in the city of Rutland, with no newspaper support and with, out a worker at the polls in any one of the 246 communities, the Independence party at its first try in the State got more than two per cent. of the vote, or twice the proportion necessary to gain standing as a party. The Independence forces, moreover, elected six members of the Legislature, which convenes next month.

The Governor-elect came out a statement of the familiar form today. "In view of the fact that there were no great State issues to create enthusiasm and rouse interest," said Mr. Prouty at his home in Newport, "the result of the election is very gratifying. It shows that the voters are taking a great interest in the national campaign."

"Anything below 28,000 Republican plurality," said ex-Mayor Burke of Burlington, Democratic candidate, "I shall consider converting to this city.

a most favorable omen for the national Democratic party victory, I am satisfied."

Centred About 25,000.

As a matter of fact, the great effort on both sides centred about the fateful 25,000 figure. Whenever the Republican plurality in the Vermont State election was found below that mark as in 1884 and 1892, the Democrats have elected their President in November. Most of the leaders went home and left the night in control as the 25,000 goal was sure and certain.

RUTLAND VOTES ALL NIGHT; ELECTS A REPUBLICAN

RUTLAND, Vt., Sept. 2.—Rutland had the most exciting election of its history last night. The voting did not cease until 7:30 a. m. to-day.

Under the laws of Vermont a clear majority over all is required for the election of any candidate. There were three candidates for Representative from this district. On the first ballot the vote stood Spellman, Independence party, 679; Mooney, Democrat, 721; Kinsley, Republican, 1,059.

At this time the Rutland Evening News came out and announced that John B. Spellman, the Independence party candidate, had withdrawn. This trick fooled many of Mr. Spellman's followers and cost him about 100 votes on the second ballot. At the close of the third ballot Mr. Spellman released his friends from any further obligation to him, and many of them cast their votes for Kinsley, the Republican candidate, thereby electing Mr. Kinsley.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE FOR VETS.

Assistant Secretary of the Navy Newberry has directed the commandant at the Charlestown Navy Yard to grant employees who are veterans of the Spanish War leave of absence with pay to attend the national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, which will be held in Boston next week. Court.

JOHN T. FAY SENTENCED TO JAIL BY JUDGE

Husband and Manager of Famous Mind Reader Charged With Auto-Speeding.

WILD DASH INTO SQUARE

John T. Fay, husband and business manager of Eva Fay, the famous mind reader, was to-day sentenced to twenty days in jail in the Municipal Court. Fay was arrested by Lieutenant Minot in Dunbar square last night for drunkenness and over-speeding an auto. He appealed the jail sentence and was held in $200 bail, which was furnished.

The officer saw an automobile rush into the square from Washington street last night about 11:30, and running after it he climbed aboard. As he got in a man disappeared over the other side, but not so quickly but what the officer had time to note a well-known Boston crank. The other occupant of the auto proved to be John T. Fay. The officer charges that all the occupants were in a lady intoxicated condition and the auto was careening from one side of the street to the other.

The machine was run to the station and Fay was locked up on the charge of drunkenness. He carried a big roll of bills, about $3,000 worth of jewelry, including three or four rings, two large gold medals, one valued at $1,000 and the other at $500 and an enormous diamond stick-pin. The jewels evidently had attracted the attention of the crook who jumped out of the auto when the policeman got in.

When Fay appeared in court this morning he was accompanied by his wife, Eva Fay. He was immediately rearrested charged with reckless driving and over-speeding. To all the charges he pleaded guilty. The judge read a severe lecture and stated that the only course open for him was to impose a sentence of twenty days in the county jail. Fay appealed and is held in $200 bonds for the Superior

FAITH DAVIS KILLED SELF, FINDS JUDGE

Girl Victim of Drowning at Monson Threw Herself in Pond, Inquest Decision.

"IN NORMAL CONDITION"

Special to the Boston American.

SPRINGFIELD, Sept. 2.—Judge Thomas W. Kendrick of Palmer filed a report with the clerk of the court here to-day on the inquest over the death of Faith Davis at Monson on August 14.

In the report Judge Kendrick rendered this finding: "Upon all the evidence I find Faith Davis came to her death by drowning at Monson, August 14, by her own voluntary act, having walked or thrown herself into the mill pond where her body was found."

The body was found in normal condition and had no marks of violence. A chemical analysis of the stomach failed to disclose any poisonous substance.

NEW STREETS TO BE BUILT

The Board of Street Commissioners, after hearings to-day on petitions to lay out and construct Dudley avenue, from Belgrade avenue to South street, West Roxbury; Stanchfield street, Dorchester; Fletcher street from Centre street to South street, West Roxbury; Evergreen street, an extension to South Huntington avenue and Newcastle road, Brighton, announced they would pass the orders for the improvements.

These were the first hearings on the laying out of streets from the sum of $250,000 recently made by the City Council.

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Men's and Youths' $10 to $12.50 Suits cut to — $3.75
Fancy Worsteds and Cheviots — Good Assortment of Patterns and Colors

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A Splendid Variety of Styles and Patterns, Including Silk Lined Blue Serges

The balance of the "Peters & Co. Stock" of
High-Grade Topcoats and Raincoats
at 50 cents on the dollar and less.

Men's Trousers
Broken lots—the entire balance of our stock—light and medium weight—all styles and all sizes in the lot, but not all styles of all sizes—corduroys, cheviots, serges and worsteds. Cut from $2.00 and $3.00 to..... 1.00
Cut from $4.00 and $5.00 to..... 2.00

Men's Straw Hats
Including "Truly Warner" and Citizen Hats, cut from $2.00 and $3.00 to..... 50c

Men's and Boys' Caps
Eton, Varsity and Golf Caps, also all our children's $1.00 to $2.00 Straw Hats, cut to 25c

Men's $5.00 to $8.00 Sample Boots for . . $2.95
Made by Alden, Walker & Wilde, East Weymouth, Mass.

Patent Leather Boots | Wine Cordovans | English Enamels | Velour Calf | Storm Boots | A few Oxfords

A splendid lot of high grade Sample Boots, practically all styles and leathers, but only two or three of a kind. Not a pair in the lot worth less than $5.00—many worth $8.00. We offer them Thursday, while they last, at..... $2.95

The Greatest Men's Shoe Bargain in Boston---R. H. White Co.---Men's Store, 2d Floor

HISGEN STARTS WEST ON BIG CAMPAIGN TOUR

NEW PARTY CANDIDATE WILL COVER PRACTICALLY EVERY STATE IN THE UNION.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Thomas L. Hisgen, nominee of the Independence party for President, leaves New York city to-day to begin a record-breaking campaign tour which will cover practically every State in the union and will occupy him time fully during the next two months. He expects to return to New York city October 31 to close his campaign with a series of big rallies in Manhattan, the Bronx and Brooklyn.

Mr. Hisgen and his party leave Jersey City over the Pennsylvania Railroad for Indianapolis. He is due in the capital of Indiana to-morrow morning and will begin his campaign soon after his arrival with a speech at the Boone County Fair.

To-morrow night Mr. Hisgen and William Randolph Hearst will both speak at the Indiana State convention of the Independence party to be held in the English Opera House in Indianapolis, at which a full State ticket will be placed in nomination. From Indianapolis Mr. Hisgen will go to Winchester, where he will speak at Schiltz Park in the immense auditorium of Mexican on Saturday.

Next week and during the weeks that follow Mr. Hisgen will continue his campaign work for the national ticket of the Independence party, touring through a Southern States from the Atlantic coast to Los Angeles, on the Pacific coast, and from Texas to Wisconsin and Minnesota.

Mr. Hisgen spent yesterday quietly at the home of his sister, Mrs. Kate Pitney, in Elmhurst, L. I., and at his headquarters in the Grand Union Hotel, where he attended to his mail and conferred with many of the leaders of the Independence party in this city. After completing his work at the hotel he returned to Elmhurst for another visit with his sister before beginning his campaign tour.

Encouraged by Great Reception.

All of the leaders were encouraged by the great reception accorded to the national standard bearer of the new party on his first visit to New York and by the large outpouring of Independence party men who thronged the clubhouse of the National Independence Club at Gramercy park during the notification ceremonies on Monday night.

The nominee himself was elated. "It was a great reception," he said, "one which I shall never forget. While it was larger than the meetings which we have held in the New England States, it was privaded by the same note of earnestness and sincerity which have characterized all receptions accorded me since the national convention of the Independence party honored me with the nomination."

Many German-Americans There.

Mr. Hisgen added that he was pleased particularly by the manner in which the German voters of the city rallied to his standard and by the large number of German-Americans who attended the notification ceremonies and greeted him personally after the formalities were disposed of.

"I should say that more than 500 Germans greeted me speaking their native tongue," he said. He added that many of them had complimented him upon an article which he wrote recently for the Pioneer, a current German paper, in which he set forth his position on the leading question of the present campaign.

Mr. Hisgen speaks and writes German, although a native of the United States. Members of his party declared that several of those who greeted him on Monday night expressed their surprise at this accomplishment.

TAFT REVIEWS PARADE OF 15,000 G. A. R. VETS

CRIPPLED HEROES OF '61 TURN OUT AT TOLEDO; MANY WOMEN ALSO IN LINE.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 2.—From the shade of an old sturdy hicker tree overlooking the official reviewing stand on Madison street, between Thirteen and Fourteenth streets, William Howard Taft, Republican presidential nominee, to-day reviewed the G. A. R. parade, the most impressive event of the forty-second National Encampment.

Mr. Taft arrived in Toledo this morning from Middle Bass, in Lake Erie, where he is seeking a diversion from politics and by fishing the greater part of the time.

The parade was a picture that can be depicted only by the brave soldiers of two peace and seven years ago. Many of them are crippled and almost blind, but they walked proudly past the reviewing standard, cognizant of the fact that such distinguished persons as Mr. Taft and others were looking upon the scene.

It is difficult to estimate the number of G. A. R. veterans in the parade, but conservative estimate places the number at between 15,000 and 20,000. A large number of women connected with the Ladies' Aid societies paraded.

Much interest attaches to the reception to be held this afternoon at the Libby club at which Mr. Taft and Senator Foraker will be present. Friends of both are desired to have Mr. Taft and Senator Foraker sit on the same platform, at the dedicatory exercises at Fort Meigbs, but Mr. Taft refused to attend.

LEPER EARLY GETS PENSION

By Boston American Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, D. C. Sept. 2.—John R. Early, the Washington leper, will receive a pension of $72 a month for total disability incurred while a soldier in the United States Army as soon as the legal difficulties which surround the payment of the money can be solved. The case has been placed in the hands of the Judge Advocate-General of the Army for a solution of the problem of the payment of a pension to a leper who cannot by reason of his affliction dispose the money himself.

HENRY SIEGEL IS A DEPUTY

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Henry Siegel, the millionaire merchant, like other wealthy Summer residents of Westchester County, has been appointed a deputy sheriff. He wears the shield of his office, like Richard Harding Davis, Lieutenant-Governor Chanler and other celebrities, and intends to help rid that community of nefarious characters.

Since burglars stole the his magnificent Summer home at Orient Point, Manhasset, a year ago, and stole priceless rugs, imports, tapestries, marble statuary, armor and other ornamentations from the baronial hall of the manor, Mr. Siegel has been unsparing in his efforts to minimize the number of robberies and to apprehend robbers in Manasetock.

"MIKE" DONLIN'S BRIDE SMILES WHEN GIANTS WIN

Mrs. Mabel Hite Donlin, who has proved a mascot for the New York National Baseball Team, as well as for "Mike" himself.

DAINTY COMEDIENNE MASCOT OF THE GIANTS

MRS. MABEL HITE DONLIN IS PARTICULARLY PROUD OF "MIKE'S" REFORM.

BY SAM CRANE.

Mrs. Mabel Hite Donlin is the inspiration that has made of "Mike" Donlin a one man—a manly man.

The charming little comedienne is not only her husband's mascot, but she is also the Giants' good luck bringer. She has accompanied the New York team on its present trip, and has missed but one game, and that was in Chicago last Sunday, when she had to fill good-by to her mother. But at the depot after the game her first words were: "Did the Giants win out, and did Mike make a hit?" When told that neither result happened tears ran down her pretty cheeks, and she was the most forlorn little lady imaginable.

Fair Hostess at Dinner.

The prettiest incident of the entire trip of the Giants occurred at the Copley Square Hotel last night, when Mrs. Donlin gave a dinner to her husband and several intimate friends to celebrate the abstaining from intoxicating drink of her husband for one year.

On September 1, just a year ago, "Mike" promised his better half that he would never take another drink, and honestly and faithfully has "Mike" lived up to the promise. The guest was Mrs. Donlin ever it that she arranged the little spread last evening as a surprise to her husband, and if her gladsome bright eyes and winning smiles as she greeted her husband were not sufficient reward then "Mike" Donlin as their mascot?

A Giant Rooter.

But as charming as Mrs. Mabel Hite Donlin is, to sit with her during a ball game brings out many new and charming ways. She is a Giant rooter all the time. She can see nothing but the Giants—and "Mike."

During yesterday's game when "Mike" stepped up to the plate to take his turn at bat at one important stage and when a hit was needed she shouted: "Mike, if you don't make a hit I will never speak to you again. You can take back your old bracelet."

Just Had to Win.

"Mike" evidently heard his wife's words for he cracked out the swiftest kind of a hot line single to centre, sending in two runs, and virtually winning the game for his team—and his pretty wife.

When the Giants are ahead Mrs. Donlin is all smiles, but if the Giants are losing—oh, what a change—she is the saddest and most mournful little bit of femininity imaginable.

Do you blame "Mike" Donlin and the Giants for thinking they cannot help winning the pennant with Mabel Hite Donlin as their mascot?

HUB LAWYER FORFEITS BAIL

WORCESTER, Sept. 2.—Frank C. Wright, a Boston lawyer who was ordered to appear before Judge Francis A. Gaskill here today to answer to a charge of subornation of perjury, failed to respond and his bail bond of $2,000 was ordered defaulted.

The testimony in question was in the divorce suit of May A. Balch, for whom Wright appeared as counsel. Harry D. Morphy and Nellie M. Bicker, witnesses, were sent to jail for falsely swearing. Mrs. Balch's sentence was suspended that she might testify in another case.

WOMAN SOUGHT DEATH BY GAS

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 2.—Miss Carrie Capen, thirty-eight years of age, living at No. 6 East street, to-day tried to commit suicide by bending over a gas stove and inhaling enough of the fumes to render her unconscious. She is in a critical condition at the Rhode Island Hospital.

Miss Capen, for twenty years was employed as a clerk in the toy store of E. G. Billings of this city. Following the Christmas holidays she was discharged. She was unable to find a place since, and is known to have brooded over this fact. She boarded with Mrs. Mary Manton at the East street house.

GEORGIA FLOODS MENACE BRIDGE

SAVANNAH, Ga., Sept. 2.—Floods now menace the railroad bridges of the Atlantic Coast line and Seaboard Air line just above this city, spanning the Savannah River. The water is rising at the rate of two inches an hour. Sixty-five cars loaded with scrap iron have been placed on its bridge by the Coast line in the hope of holding it in its place.

PAIR GUILTY OF SHOPLIFTING

Declaring that he was a Baptist clergyman in St. David's Province, Canada, J. A. Paquin and his wife appeared before Judge Murray in the police court to-day charged with shoplifting.

Paquin said his wife had stolen the property. They were both found guilty. Mrs. Paquin's case was placed on file. Her husband was fined $10.

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$2.50 Outing or Business Trousers

These splendid trousers are good enough to wear on any occasion, but at $1.45 what an opportunity to get a pair to wear on your Labor Day outing, just $1 under price, $1.45 ....

$1.45

$3 Trousers

That it would pay us to carry over. But this is against our policy. Our great savings we share with you .....

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Just think of buying all worsted trousers worth $5 for $2.95. For dress they are as good as you need, for business wonder values

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The National prestige of Uneeda Biscuit is baked in. The moment you take a biscuit from the package; as soon as you taste it, the reason becomes apparent why so many hundred millions of packages of Uneeda Biscuit have been bought by the American people.

NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

REPUBLICANS FIGHT IN ALL BUT 4 WARDS

Nomination Papers Opened Today Show Contests Throughout the City.

The nomination papers opened by the Republican City Committee at their rooms in the Boston Building showed contesting. The nomination papers opened by the delegations for Lieutenant-Governor in every ward except 2, 3, 4 and 5.

The name of Speaker John N. Cole appears on the ticket in only two wards, 14 and 20. Cole is depending on unpledged delegates because in addition to the Republican machine, he is Prothingham's also. Luce is the anti-machine candidate.

Prothingham's name appears on the papers in Wards 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 16, 22, 23 and 24.

Luce's Name in 11 Wards.

The name of Representative Robert L. Luce of Somerville is printed on the papers sent in from Wards 7, 10, 12, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 23, 24 and 25.

In Ward 17 appears the nomination of Draper and George Edwin Lothrop.

The congressional nominations are as follow:

Ninth district—John A. Campbell and James W. H. Myrick.

Tenth—Lee M. Friedman, J. Mitchell Galvin and Charles H. S. Robinson.

Eleventh—Daniel W. Lane and Charles H. Seiler.

Senatorial Nominations.

The following senatorial nominations were returned:

First Suffolk—Louis M. McKie and Louis Burnham.

Second—Henry A. H. Gifford.

Third—Eben S. Johnson.

Fourth—James Grieve, Charles H. Clark.

Fifth—Charles D. B. Fisk.

Sixth—John S. Godfrey.

Seventh—Israel Mostowitz.

Eighth—W. Prentiss Parker and Wilfam Loring.

Ninth—Gideon B. Abbott and Edward T. Brunsberg.

Tenth—Walter S. Glidden of Somerville is unopposed for a second nomination in the Second Councilor District.

In the Third Councilor District John M. Cowan of Ward 16 alone has filed papers.

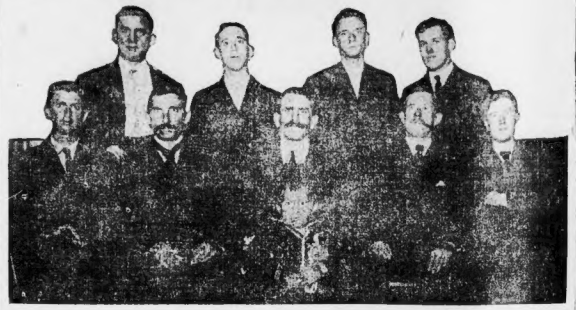
The Fourth Councilor District shows a three-cornered contest for the nomination. Albion F. Bemis of Brookline has filed papers for a third nomination, but is contested by Franklin Ja Cedman of Boston and Arthur P. Russell of Quincy.

Contests in Boston.

Contests are on in almost every Boston Representative district where there is a chance of Republican success. Papers being filed as follows: First district, Benjamin Fred Bates, Thomas Sexton, Ernest W. Woodside; second, George H. Robbins; third, James L. Houghton; fourth, C. Roscoe Donald, David W. Noyes, Charles E. Winston; sixth, Albert Horwitz, Alexander G. Vaccaro; seventh, Thomas H. Mullin; eighth, Thomas H. Roberts, George J. Rosenthal; ninth, Daniel J. Ferguson, Joseph L. Gray; tenth, Weldon Dudley, Norman M. Lochead, David T. Montague, Malcolm E. Nichols; eleventh, Grafton D. Cushing, Myron L. Pierce; twelfth, William E. Chester, Butler R. Wilson, Freeman O. Emerson, George E. Lovett, John B. McGregor, Augustus B. McLennan, Arthur K. Peck; fourteenth, Marcellus Reeves, W. Dean Sanford; fifteenth, Chester K. Neal, John Robb Skinner, Ralph Ford H. Barnes, George F. Coughlin, Herbert S. Frost; seventeenth, Charles Lester, James H. Mugridge; eighteenth, Charles Alexander, Charles A. Cranford, William D. Guilford, Charles A. Heintz, James L. Jenkins; twentieth, William L. Chase, Jesse D. Crook, Luther C. Greenleaf, Harry H. Hinn, James D. Henderson, Charles A. Malley; twenty-first, Philip L. McMahon, James E. Hounsandras, Fred P. Warren; twenty-second, Rupert H. Costello, James A. Dixon, Jr., Charles E. Dow, James K. Knight, William H. Morgan, Joseph A. Wentworth; twenty-third, Fred E. Davidson, James Hayes, Jr., Henry Leonard; twenty-fourth, Harrison H. Atwood, Herbert W. Burr, Edward A. Callender, Henry S. Clark, Samuel H. Mildram, William B. Wilcutt; twenty-fifth, Joseph Abbott, Lewis J. Hewitt, Edward C. Webster.

MALDEN VOTERS RALLY TO INDEPENDENCE LEAGUE

New party's Malden City Committee who made plans for vigorous campaign at last night's meeting. They are (seated from left to right) John J. Kenney, J. J. Daley, John J. Monahan, with son "Buster," who caricassed Malden last Fall with League literature; E. A. Andrews, Edward P. Brennan; (standing) John J. Creedon, M. M. Coyne, F. G. Benson, Fred P. Andrews.



An enthusiastic meeting of the Malden Independence League City Committee was held last night at headquarters in Malden, No. 19 Mills street. John J. Monahan presided.

Prospective delegates to the various conventions and candidates for the different public offices were considered.

It was voted to have a caucus in each of the seven wards of Malden. The caucuses are to be held on the evening of Monday, Sept. 21. At these caucuses delegates to the State and Councillor conventions are to be chosen. Mr. Monahan discussed the advisability of placing an Independence League candidate for Representative in the field.

In addressing the meeting Mr. Monahan said: "The big vote polled by the Independence League last Fall was very encouraging. And this year we want to make it still larger. There are many voters in this city who have independent ideas and it is these men whom we want to reach. Of course, there are men on both the Republican and Democratic parties who would vote for their party candidates no matter who they might be, but there are others who belong in our principles and those are the men we want to reach.

"There were several other speeches made by different members of the committee and a most encouraging view of the situation was taken. It was said that in Malden there is every indication that the Independence League will poll a surprisingly large vote this Fall. Thousands of men are tired of the old parties and their futile promises, and a large vote for the Independence League vote is expected.

It was the consensus of opinion on the part of those present that the Independence League should place candidates in the field in each district of which Malden is a part.

The committee in charge of last night's meeting was composed of John J. Kenney, John J. Daley, John J. Monahan, E. A. Andrews, Edward P. Brennan, John J. Creedon, M. M. Coyne, F. G. Benson and Fred P. Andrews.

CONDUCTORS DISCHARGED BY "L" ROAD

The Boston Elevated Railroad Company to-day discharged ninety-two conductors for rendering "unsatisfactory accounts." This was the technical reason for discharge.

J. Harrey White, the company's publicity agent, declares that discharges were made because the management is determined to "put a stop to peculation and careless registration of fares by conductors."

"During the past year," he adds, "twenty-eight conductors have been convicted in the courts for larceny of car fares from the company, and yesterday ninety-two conductors were discharged for unsatisfactory accounts."

Further than this the Elevated officials will make no statement. The names of the discharged men are unknown, but the discharges created a sensation in the car barns of the company.

SHIP HOME AFTER 19-YEAR VOYAGE

NEW BEDFORD, Sept. 2.—After having been away from New Bedford, her home port, for nineteen years, the whaling bark Alice Knowles arrived here to-day. During the present season she has taken 900 barrels of oil.

LABOR NEWS

UNION LABEL COUNCIL BOSTON, MASS. 96

Chief Marshal Maloney has issued orders assigning places for the formation of the two big sections of the Labor Day parade. The C. L. U. section will have the right of line and will form on both sides of Boylston street in Massachusetts avenue. All unions will march to their formation point by way of Dartmouth street and Copley square and then to point assigned them on Boylston street. The building trades section will have the left of line and will form on Clarendon street, with its right resting on the east side of Newbury street, with the right of the line resting on Dartmouth street, at the corner of Boylston and Copley square. Unions in the Building trades section will approach formation point by way of Berkeley street to Newbury street. All organizations on the line of marches are directed to be in line at point of formation by 9:30.

C. L. U. Staff Names.

Vice President John J. Hynes of the C. L. U. division of the metal trades, and C. L. U. division of the parade, last night announced the following staff:

Chief of staff, Chris H. Mahon of Journeymen Barbers' Union; aids, G. Harry Donnelsdale of Newspaper Writers' Union, Max Hiller of the Garment Workers' Union, Harry Decereau of the Sheet Metal Workers; John J. Cunningham of Stationary Firemen's Union No. 2, Thomas F. Keenan of Boilermakers' Lodge No. 651, Martin T. Joyce of Electrical Workers' Union No. 103, D. F. Hynes of Carpenters' Union No. 1,410, and Joseph F. Doyle of Government Hospital Union No. 5.

Marshal William H. Walsh of the Carpenters' District has announced his staff for Labor Day as follows:

Officers for Builders.

Colin W. Cameron of Carpenters' Union 33, assistant marshal; John McLeod of Branch 1 of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters, aide-de-camp; Samuel F. McArthur of Cambridge Carpenters' Union 441, commander of delegates of the Carpenters' District Council; aids, John E. Potts, Carpenters' Union 33; H. M. Daley, Roxbury Union 67; Hugh McKay, East Boston Union 218; James E. Kenny, Dorchester Union 386; W. A. Dingwell, Brookline Union 439; Ira F. Bowditch, Cambridge Union 441; Harry Williams, Chelsea Union 624; John A. MacKinnon, Allston Union 622; E. Homer Marks, Somerville Union 629; Frank E. Potter, Medford Union 777; Frank Booth, Revere Union 1501; George Duncan, Winthrop Union 1502; Frank E. Jordan, Carpenters' Union 886; E. W. Wakefield, Allston Union 887; Samuel Hall, Chelsea Union 952; W. T. Millham, West Roxbury Union 938; Max Dunn, Hebrew Carpenters' Union 94; W. Ormon, Mattapan Union 956; R. C. Sullivan, Fine Laurel Union, 1,066; F. S. Hadley, Sign Builders and Hangers' Union 1,371; P. Keeney, Somerville Union 1,379; Seymour Cobb, Wheel and Rudder Union 1,382; Charles N. Kingsbull, Shop and Mill Hands' Union 1410; A. E. Hollins, Scientific Union 1,573; Frank Smith, South Cambridge Union 1653; R. De la Rue, East Boston Ship Builders' Union 1671; E. Thulin, Cabinet Makers and Mill Hands' Union 1814; C. E. Miller, Allston Union 1788; Charles Murray, branch 1, Amalgamated Society of Housesmiths; Julian, branch 2, Amalgamated Society of Boston; W. S. Moore, branch 3, Amalgamated Society of Boston, and H. Allison, branch 1, Amalgamated of Cambridge.

LABOR NOTES.

Barbers, No. 182 last night appointed President Chris H. Mahon, Secretary Harry Donnelsdale and the committee immediately opened the following offices for Labor Day: Thomas Power, Thomas J. Nicholson, Emile Zepp, H. Rosen, John Ogilvie, J. Mangianco, Joseph Gerardo, A. W. Poindexter, C. E. Daly, Charles Fowler, Joseph Perry, E. Wolfenbarger, John Cosgrove, F. W. Gooch, T. D'Angelo, M. Rich, Joseph Bellanca, D. J. Bradley, F. P. Walters, J. G. Barnes, John Long, T. A. Dennison and Charles Figuer.

Representatives of all unions which are to parade in the C. L. U. division are requested to Marshal Hynes to be present at 9 o'clock Friday night at the Mozart Building to draw for positions in the parade.

Hotel Waiters have elected President Frank E. Faulkner to be commander of their division in the parade. Following the parade, the unions will hold a field day at Franklin Field, and an entertainment at No. 286 Harrison avenue.

MEETINGS TO-NIGHT.

Waltham Central Labor Union at C. L. U. Hall.

Garment Workers' District Council, No. 4, at No. 724 Washington street.

Retail Clerks, No. 796, at Templar Hall, No. 724 Washington street.

Chair Frame Workers, No. 1, at No. 1,274 Washington street.

Public Grounds Department Employes, No. 12, C. L. U. in Machinists' Hall, No. 907 Washington street.

N. A. S. E., No. 1, in Engineers' Hall, No. 905 Washington street.

Stone Masons, No. 9, at No. 386 Harrison avenue.

Carpenters, No. 67, at No. 67 Warren street, Roxbury.

Electrical Workers, No. 104, at No. 905 Washington street.

Hardwood Finishers, No. 109, at No. 45 Eliot street.

Pavement Teamsters, No. 1, at Field building, Dorchester avenue and Adams street.

Sign Builders and Hangers, No. 1,371, at No. 30 Hanover street.

Stablemen's Protective, No. 307, at No. 907 Washington street.

The Lovers, No. 22, at No. 514 Tremont street.

Plasterers, No. 10, at No. 11 Appleton street.

German Workers, No. 105, at No. 18 Roseland street.

Mailers' Union at Riverside Hall.

Pattern Makers' Association at No. 724 Washington street.

Wood, Wire and Metal Lathers, No. 72, at No. 907 Washington street.

Musicians' Carmelite, No. 641, at No. 641 Massachusetts avenue.

Sons of Vulcan, No. 12,984, at 502 Hotel Langham.

Railway Carmen, No. 589, at Dudley No. 15,608 Washington street.

DO WOMEN TEACHERS MAKE BOYS 'QUITTERS?'

"NOT SO," SAYS BROOKS, TAKING ISSUE WITH CHICAGO ATHLETIC DIRECTOR.

Schools are not turning out manly lads. They are quitters. Women teachers instill soft habits of rule-bending, and their pupils run constantly into women teachers' "duties," missing inspiration to contributive character building effort.—From a statement by George W. Ehler, athletic director of the Cleveland public schools.

Stratton D. Brooks, superintendent of the Boston public schools, took sharp issue with Mr. Ehler to-day, declaring that there are no facts to justify such a conclusion. The charge that the public schools are becoming "feminized" is not a new one.

"Women teachers," Mr. Brooks said, "do not make 'quitters' out of the boys. There are no facts to justify such a conclusion.

"The boy taught through his eleventh year by women teachers is rarely a 'quitter' whether in athletics, business or any other field of achievement. It is always a theory and a theory seldom advanced, that boys taught by women teachers grow up lacking in aggressiveness and spirit.

"I remember when I was a lad of eleven, a school hears the tasks of the school-room from my women teachers were before me and claimed my application. After school I was out with the boys and had a jolly good time. None of us boys lacked in aggressiveness or spirit in things outside the school room. And we had women teachers. I fail to see where the city bred boy—especially until eleven years of age—taught by women—has not rendered a pretty good account of himself.

"This is true not only of those who have become prominent in athletics, but with those who have been called to take a part in great events. Assuredly I am of the belief that our women teachers do not make boys 'quitters.' I thoroughly agree with Dr. Luther H. Gulick, supervisor of athletics in the public schools of New York."

Hard to Keep in Bounds.

Dr. Gulick said that public school boys lack none of the manly qualities on account of this contact with women teachers, but were as aggressive and full of fight as any boys could be.

"Theoretically it would seem that the boy who reached practically all his early training under a woman teacher would become somewhat effeminate," said Dr. Gulick, "but the facts, as we can judge them in the New York public schools, do not justify such a conclusion.

"The New York boy goes into athletics with an aggressiveness and spirit of competitiveness which is sometimes difficult to keep within reasonable bounds. That is our trouble—it is hard for us to keep him from fighting too much, and in that very particular, I think, lies the best test we have of his training."

Dr. Gulick said it is very desirable to have men teachers, but public sentiment keeps them out of the work because the position of teacher is not considered as manly, in itself, as some other occupations.

"City conditions prevent that precise form of manifesting the combative element in the boy which is brought out in smaller districts where he has more freedom," said Dr. Gulick, "but the city trained boy has never proved himself to be a quitter."

FALLS 2 STORIES FORGETS HOW IT HAPPENED

Unable to remember how the accident happened or how she reached the window from which she fell, Miss Catherine Callahan of No. 9 Faulkner circle, Dorchester, is suffering from a fractured right leg and a broken nose at the City Hospital. She fell last night from a second story window in the Garland house at No. 1165 Washington street.

Miss Callahan is unable to tell how the accident happened. She says she was not sitting near the window nor can she remember that she left her chair and walked across the room. She was picked up unconscious and taken to the hospital. After she regained consciousness she wanted to know how she happened to be in the hospital.

JAIL CZOLGOSZ'S BROTHER.

SHARON, Pa., Sept. 2.—John Czolgosz, a brother of President McKinley's assassin, was to-day sentenced to the workhouse for three months. The police say Czolgosz is broke, and his case will be investigated.

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Unbleached Sheeting—40 inches wide—Always sold at 8c. *After Supper Sale* 6¼c

Pillow Slips—Fine quality cotton—3-inch hem—Always sold at 15c. *After Supper Sale* 9c

Ladies', Misses', Children's Hose Supporters—Plain and frilled—Always sold at 10c. *After Supper Sale* 5c

Cups and Saucers—Imported blue and white Holland teas—new low Tuscan shape—Always sold $1.50 a dozen—For cup and saucer. *After Supper Sale* 7c

White Aprons—Heavy material—38 inches long—deep hem—Always sold at 20c. *After Supper Sale* 14c

Robes—Low neck, short sleeves, made full width of good cotton, neck and sleeves trimmed with hemstitched ruffles—Always sold at 50c. *After Supper Sale* 35c

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Men's Cotton Hose—Gray and Brown—always sold at 12c. *After Supper Sale* 7c

Men's Silk Ties—4-in-hand shapes—Always sold at 25 and 50c. *After Supper Sale* 16c

Ladies' Oxfords—Tan Vici and Viel Kid with patent tips—Broken sizes—Always sold at $2.00 and $2.50. *After Supper Sale* 98c

Children's and Ladies' Canvas Oxfords—White, brown and a few colored—Broken sizes sold at $1.00 and $1.50. *After Supper Sale* 49c

Children's Dresses—Sizes 6 to 14 years—Gingham and white lawn—Always sold at $1.00. *After Supper Sale* 59c

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FALLS 20 FEET ON HEAD; IS UNINJURED

Patrick Hurwitz, a twelve-year-old boy, who lives at No. 2 Singleton street, fell some thirty feet, struck on his head and escaped serious injury.

The boy was on the roof of a shed in the rear of his home, and in running about he lost his balance and pitched to the ground. Some of the boy's companions ran to his assistance and he was removed to the City Hospital, where the doctors found that he had received only a few bruises.

IRISH LEAGUE PLANS FOR BIG MEET SEPT. 19

Elaborate Field Day and Athletic Tournament Will Precede the Convention.

OLYMPIC VICTORS COMING

The Boston Central Council and Boston Central Branch of the United Irish League will meet to-morrow evening at the American House, and each Thursday evening from now until the date of the convention of the organization, to be held in Faneuil Hall on Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 22 and 23.

Arrangements for the convention and for the field day and athletic tournament, which will precede it on Saturday, Sept. 19, at the Huntington avenue baseball grounds, are going forward rapidly. A great demonstration is expected on the arrival in Boston of John E. Redmond, M. P., the chairman of the Irish Parliamentary party, and his colleague, Joseph Devlin, M. P. for West Belfast. They will arrive in Boston on the evening of Sept. 18th.

The committee in charge of the athletic portion of the program have already received a number of entries from crack athletes who will participate in the sports, and negotiations are at present going on with several of the champions who participated in the Olympian games in London.

The athletic events include—100-yard run, 880-yard run, one-mile run, three-mile run, one-mile novice, running high jump, running broad jump; running hop, step and jump; putting sixteen-pound shot; open tennis race; first prize, gold watch; second prize, gold medal; third prize, silver medal. Entries should be made with John D. O'Reilly, No. 79 Olney street, Dorchester.

Governor Guild will welcome the envoys from Ireland and the delegates to the convention should his health permit. If he is not feeling well enough at that date he will be represented by Lieutenant-Governor Draper.

Mayor Hibbard will welcome the delegates on behalf of the city of Boston.

PROBATE OFFICE 'EXTRAVAGANT' SAYS FIN. COM.

The Finance Commission in a report to Mayor Hibbard and the city Council says that the expense of running the registry of probate is excessive.

The cost of running that department of the county administration has increased 225 per cent. in fifteen years, the commission states.

This increase greatly exceeds the growth of Suffolk County in wealth and population.

The Finance Commission says that the Legislature and the Board of Aldermen have been too liberal in their appropriations.

Arthur W. Dolan is the present registrar, but he is not blamed for the increase in expenses. But the Commission says he did not use the pruning hook when he took office. But he has introduced a complete system in the purchase of supplies and printing and cut expenses some in that way.

Costly Clerical Service.

The Commission recommends that clerical service expense be cut, that there shall be a public advertisement for bids, civil service appointments, and that the registrar shall report an estimate of expenditures before getting a department appropriation. The report says in part:

"The cost of maintaining the Probate Court and Registry, unless expenses are reduced, will be about $56,000 a year, of which the Commonwealth will pay $15,000.

"The insolvency jurisdiction of the State courts was taken away by the national bankruptcy act of 1898. After that date no new insolvency cases were entered in the State courts, but the old cases were gradually disposed of. Notwithstanding the consequent diminution of business the expenses of the Probate Court and Registry have increased largely since 1898.

"The amount expended by the Commonwealth and county combined in 1897 was $51,954; in 1902 it was $20,554, an increase of $21,600, or 153 per cent. The Commonwealth in 1907 expended $14,972; in 1908, $9,000, an increase of 66 per cent. The amount expended by the county in 1897 was $36,982; in 1902, $41,345, an increase of $25,637, or 225 per cent. In the last two years the expense to the county increased $8,580, or 29 per cent.

"Giving the office the benefit of the favorable assumption that the expenses should increase in equal proportion to the increase in the number of cases entered, there has been extraordinary augmentation in the expense to the county has increased six times and the expense to State and county combined 3.2-3 times as the business of the office.

"The bulk of the increased expenditures in Suffolk county is for employees. Exclusive of court officers, $41,583 was paid for salaries in the last year. In 1850 the amount paid was $12,533. It has more than trebled in seventeen years, while the number of cases has increased from 2,301 to 3,704, or less than one half."

IVERNIA TO DOCK IN BOSTON TONIGHT

According to wireless dispatches the Cunard steamship Ivernia, from Liverpool and Queenstown will reach her berth at East Boston, to-night or early to-morrow morning. She is bringing 170 cabin passengers, 221 second cabin and 615 steerage. The list of steerage is one of the largest to embark for Boston for months, and would seem to indicate that the tide of immigration travel has again set to the westward.

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DENIES NEUMAN'S CLAIM THAT HE'S A MIND READER

REV. DR. M'COMB ASCRIBES PROFESSOR'S FEAT TO FINE SENSITIVENESS OF TOUCH.

Rev. Samuel McComb, D. D., of Boston, associate director of the Emmanuel Church and a noted psychologist, declared to-day that Professor Neuman accomplished a truly remarkable feat on Saturday afternoon in finding, after a six hours' search, and by what the professor claimed was mental telepathy, a coin previously hidden in the Fenway by a committee of representative Boston men.

Dr. McComb declared that, unknown to himself, Professor Neuman had been led by the committee to the spot where the coin was hidden by an ultra-sensitiveness of touch, which, he said, is inborn in the professor. The doctor did not, however, think there was any telepathy about it.

"No Telepathy About It."

A BOSTON AMERICAN reporter interviewed Dr. McComb on Professor Neuman's feat in the doctor's study in Emmanuel Church. The full facts in the case were explained to him, and he was informed that the professor considered himself as a mind reader or mental telepathist.

"I must admit it was remarkable," said Dr. McComb, "but there was no telepathy about it. Telepathy means a communication of thought, apart from the ordinary channels of communication.

"It was doubtless a case of voluntary muscular direction.

"By this I do not mean that Professor Neuman sought to deceive, but only that, unknown to himself, the committee led him to the spot. There is not the slightest evidence of anything telepathic about it.

"Telepathy has been said to be as certain as telegraphy. And it is true. In view of such, it is impossible to deny the fact of telepathy. But Neuman's did not seem to be a feat of mind reading.

"The members of the committee, as I understand it, had constantly in mind the thought of where the coin was hidden. It would have required tremendous force for all the members to have suppressed all signs of that knowledge, and I believe the clue was given unconsciously by some member of the committee whom Mr. Neuman touched and was interpreted involuntarily by Neuman.

"Ultra-Sensitive Touch."

"It was a clever feat. I saw the same thing done, in almost precisely the same manner, when I was in college. Such a feat requires an ultra-sensitiveness of touch, which comes naturally and cannot be acquired.

"Neuman possessed that ultra-sensitiveness."

Dr. McComb is an author as well as a noted psychologist and his book, "Religion and Medicine," was introduced abroad during his recent visit to London. The doctor has had the honor of entertaining the Archbishop of Canterbury in this city.

REJECTED BY GIRL, ENDS LIFE

Because of unrequited love, it is believed, Percy A. Myers, twenty-nine years of age, who resided in Worcester square, went to the room of his sweetheart, Kittie Bellair, at No. 324 Columbus avenue, and after she refused to marry him, took a dose of morphine. He died a short time later at the City Hospital. Miss Bellair is said to have left the room after refusing Myers, and when she returned some time later Percy was found on the bed semi-conscious.

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HINT BRIBERY IN BOARD WALK MYSTERY

DETECTIVE'S EFFORTS BALKED BY HIGH INFLUENCES; RIDICULES ROBBERY THEORY.

ATLANTIC CITY, Sept. 2.—The amazing Roberts mystery has sifted down to either a case of rank inefficiency of the police or the free use of money. That the man who shot Charles H. Roberts of Baltimore when he was riding in a chair with Mrs. W. S. G. Williams on the boardwalk last Wednesday night is no one only known to the principals, but to others in this and the Maryland city is felt to be beyond question here.

Detective Harry Wilson, who has been in Baltimore said he believed money was used to thwart him in his attempt to get at the bottom of the mystery, because his solution might cause a scandal in high society there. Wilson is to-day ground following clues in this city, but says go at any moment to follow the agent in Baltimore.

Though the police would not admit it it was reported on good authority that another Atlantic City detective had been sent to Baltimore to pick up the work where Wilson left it off.

Want Affair Hushed Up.

This move was deemed advisable because Wilson had been cover the ground in Baltimore so much that he was too well known to those who might be able to throw light on the case. Wilson is keeping in touch with the Baltimore police, however, and is directing the work of the new detective who has been sent.

"This is one of the hardest cases I ever tackled," said Wilson in denying reports. "There seem to be reasons why many persons in high Baltimore society would like to see the affair hushed up. In Baltimore I felt all along I was up against a tough proposition, because of the influence of those about whom I wanted to get evidence. I will not say positively money was used to hush up the case, but that is my belief.

"In the first place, the two families concerned have almost unlimited funds, if they choose to use them, to conceal the identity of the criminal. In the second place, I faced the club influence. The evidence I wanted to get must be obtained mainly from political and social friends of the families concerned. The case cannot be cleared up in a few days, but I am confident it will be soon. Highway robbery? Sh-sh-h!"

Ridicule Highway Theory.

Chief of Police Woodruff was as vehement as his detectives in ridiculing the highway robbery theory.

"Here is a man who rushed up to the chair in which Mrs. Williams and Roberts were riding and after pulling back the covers looked in," said the chief of police last night. "After looking long enough, apparently, to make sure of the identity of the occupants of the car, the alleged highway robber commanded the man to step out of the chair, at the same time calling him a vile name. Then the woman proffered the alleged robber her chatelaine bag containing a sum of money. He waved it aside and again commanded the man to step out of the chair. As Roberts rose, perhaps to resist the impending attack, the robber shot him. Never turning to take the spoils, the robber turned and fled. That is the only way of highwaymen. The theory of the highway robbery is ridiculous."

SAYS FATHER BEAT HIM; PUT MUSTARD IN CUT

His body covered with welts and bruises and marks, which he declares were caused by the application of mustard plasters to the wounds caused by beatings with sticks, Ralph Clark, the adopted son of Joseph and Elizabeth Clark of Park street, Marion, is being cared for at the headquarters of the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children as a neglected child.

He was brought to Boston on the result of a story told by Mr. C. E. Heller of No. 105 Beacon street, who has been passing her vacation at Marion. Mrs. Heller declared that the boy had been cruelly treated by his foster father. Mr. Loring investigated and found that the boy's story of serious affairs was true, and went to his home. He begged food from the neighbors rather than go to the house where Clark lived.

Judge Nathan Washburn of the Third District Court issued a warrant for Joseph Clark and the case will be heard in the court in Wareham to-morrow. Clark is a carpenter and builder and owns a number of houses in Marion. He has one child of his own, a girl four years old.

TARS AT RACES IN MELBOURNE

MELBOURNE, Sept. 2.—Heavy rains prevailed throughout last night, but at noon to-day the weather had partially cleared and given contingents of the officers and men of the American fet visited Ballarat and Bendigo.

Admiral Sperry and his staff, together with a large number of officers and nearly 2,500 men of the fleet, went out to the race track at Flemington, where an especial program of races was provided. Admiral Sperry was the guest of the governor, Sir Thomas Gibson Carmichael.

Fully 1,500 people attended the reception given by the officers and men of the American fleet visited Ballarat and Bendigo.

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GREAT CROWD SEES 'ALICE IN WONDERLAND'

Have you seen "Alice in Wonderland" at Wonderland Park? She arrived Monday night with a retinue of dancing girls, bear, rabbits, lobsters, little jack tars, old sea captain and a baby giraffe. Spectators crowded around Alice's ship 20,000 strong Monday and Tuesday evenings, and the parade where Alice is drawn about the park in her flowery chariot by pages and little Japanese performers was a great spectacle.

The good ship Annette Kellerman, whose deck furnishes a playground for the merry-makers, is an artistic piece of work. The scene is lighted with vari-colored Japan descents, and everywhere is a symphony of color in keeping with the eerie story of the child-queen. The spectators are spellbound for the entire half-hour.

"Alice in Wonderland" will be produced at Wonderland Park every pleasant evening up to September 20.

Next Sunday's BOSTON AMERICAN will give the biggest and most interesting list of free tickets for Wonderland of the season. They will be worth fifty-five cents and include park admission, with "Alice in Wonderland," a long ride on the Scenic Railway, a twenty-five-cent ticket to the Pawnee Bill Wild West Show, a ten-cent ride in Love's Journey for five cents, where you go round and round through Moon Tunnel, and two rides each for a nickel and a free ticket on the Miniature Railway, the Merry-Go-Round and the Velvet Coaster. Better order the SUNDAY AMERICAN well in advance.

RESTORE LIFE TO MAN 'KILLED' BY ELECTRICITY

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—John Branda, a strong young man, was shocked by 2,400 volts of alternating electric current, his body being given over to the full play of the fluid for fifteen minutes, a much longer period than the usual current is applied to those put to death in the chair.

By all the tests applied by the State in legal electrocutions the man was dead. The tests were applied by Dr. Roberts, of the Hudson Street Hospital after the limp body had been taken from an electrically charged bench. Dr. Roberts worked in vain with a stethescope for the faintest beat of the heart. The pulse was gone. There was no bodily heat. There was not even any moisture to be detected about the nostrils.

The hospital attendants caught the spirit of the young physician and they worked over the man for half an hour with vigorous and unstinted energy. Their efforts were redoubled when there was a slight tremor of the eyelid. Then the pulse slowly returned, and in a few minutes he began to breathe unaided. To-day Brand is walking about his home, ill from the shock and burns, but well on the way to complete recovery.

Dr. Peter J. Gibbons, who has given great study to the effect of electricity upon the human system and has consistently maintained that the persons legally executed by electricity in the State and elsewhere are not really killed by the current, but shocked into a state of suspended animation, said that the calling back from seeming death of Branda did not surprise him.

CAUGHT IN CAVEIN DIES HOUR LATER.

William Kelley of No. 16 Ferris street, Charlestown, is dead as the result of injuries received in Brighton late yesterday afternoon while working in the tunnel of the Metropolitan Sewer Commission on Cambridge street. A portion of the tunnel roof in the section under construction by D. F. & J. O'Connell company caved in and Kelley was buried under gravel and stone.

BLOWN TO PIECES BY EXPLOSION

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Sept. 2.—John G. Clifford, president of the United States Graphite company, was blown to pieces at the plant of the company. A tank of oxygen, charged to 2,200 pounds, exploded.

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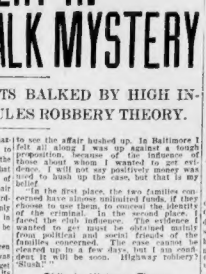

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GOVERNMENT RESUMES FIGHT ON OIL TRUST

Long-Drawn Out Suit to Dissolve Combine, Based on Hisgen Evidence, Reopened.

TRANSFERRED TO WEST

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—In its long drawn-out suit to dissolve the Standard Oil corporation the government will produce more evidence to-morrow at the resumed hearing in the new custom house here. The hearing will last about one month and then will be transferred to Chicago. That will end the evidence along party after election.

This is the famous suit—what has been regarded by astute observers as the most important suit—against the Standard Oil Trust wherein the government endeavors to have the trust dissolved.

It is the case which has been given bold through the testimony of Thomas L. Hisgen, the independent oil dealer of Massachusetts, who has been able to combat the gigantic oil trust and who has supplied evidence to the Government's case in hearings at Albany and New York.

Thomas L. Hisgen has been produced as a witness in several sessions, telling how the various methods used to restrain competition were practiced upon him and upon others within his observation. He has given exhaustive testimony, and upon him the government chiefly relies to show that the Standard Oil Company is a corporation engaged in restraint of trade.

The action is a civil one, which will have for its penalty, if it succeeds, the dissolution of the Standard Oil Company as an organization engaged in interstate commerce in restraint of trade.

In the action which resulted in the $29,000,000 penalty imposed by Judge Kenesaw M. Landis, which has since been set aside by the United States Court of Appeals, the government undertook the conviction of the Standard Oil Trust of the crime of accepting rebates from a railroad. A similar charge is contained in the other Standard Oil indictments found in western New York.

ARREST ACTOR FOR CHALLENGE

STAMFORD, Ct., Sept. 2.—The challenge which Leo Dietrichstein, the dramatist, is said to have made to Major Frederick Schavier to fight a duel was received by official notice when the challenger was placed under arrest and bonds in $1,000 each charged with having made a challenge to fight a duel. He was held in $2,000 for hearing and the bond was furnished. Major Schavier is a medical corps officer and is assigned to the Third Infantry, Connecticut National Guard.

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"My trouble began about three years ago with little black swellings scattered over my face and neck. They would disappear but then they would leave little black scars that would itch at times so I couldn't keep from scratching them. Larger swellings would appear in the same place and they were so painful I could hardly bear it and my clothes would stick to the sores. The first doctor I went to said the disease was scrofula, but the trouble only got worse and spread. By this time it was all over my arms and on the upper part of my body in big swellings as large as a dollar. It was so painful that I could not bear to lie on my back at night. The second doctor pronounced it a case of inflammation of the lymphatic glands. He stopped the swellings, but when they would break the sores would not heal. He tried everything that he could but to no avail. He said I might be cured but it would take a long time. I bought a set of the Cuticura Remedies and used them according to directions and in less than a week some of the places were nearly well. I continued with the Cuticura Remedies until I had used three sets, and now I am sound and well. The disease lasted three years from the time it commenced until I was cured. Before Christmas nothing broke out on my seven year old brother's hands in the form of large sores. I tried everything I could think of but to no effect until I happened to think of Cuticura and one application cured him. Also, not long ago, my sister got a bad burn on her ankle. I have been using Cuticura on that and it gave her scarcely any trouble. O. L. Wilson, Puryear, Tenn., Feb. 8, 1908."

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Boston American Daily Home Magazine

Mirandy on Mothers-in-Law

By Dorothy Dix

"MUV JANE," remarked Mirandy, "was readin' in de Ameriky de odder night an' she said to me, but in a con of Standard Oil-dribblin' kerosene on de troubled waters of family life.

"'Huh,' sezzums Ike when he hears dat, 'Chicago is quite a considerable distance from hear, but hit ain't far enough off to make de leopard change his spots or de mother-in-law lose her tongue. Durfore,' he goes on, 'hit's my opinion dat dat man is what our noble President would call a nature fakir.'

"Maybe de Chicago mother-in-law am a new brand, puts in Liza Ann, like.

"'Dere ain't no new brand,' spons Ike. 'Mothers-in-law is jest cut off of de same bolt of goods, and dey's all de same kind of double an' twisted mischief makers, an I don't make no doubt but what dat Jedge goes in fer fear of his wife's maw dat he dasent call his soul his own.

"Yas, Lawd, hit's dedicated to doughnuts dat when dat po', miserbul, double handpecked man comes home dat de has to walk up an' let a skinny ole woman, wid specs an' a blue ribbon on, smell his bref, an' dat he has to set down an' answer perlite whilst she puts him through a chatechism bout de things he done an' de people he saw. Anybody dat has got to live wid dey mother-in-law shorely has got my sympathy."

Ike's Mother a Female Angel

"'Amen!' 'spon's I, 'mo' especially ef hit's deir husband's mother.'

"'Hush, woman!' 'sclaims Ike, 'don't you some peace of my life, I ain't found out

dast to say a word against my Maw, what was a female angel dat hit was a blessin to have around de house.'

"'An' don't you raise yo' voice against dat saint in feral what was my Maw, what hit was a privilege for anybody to live wid,' answers back I.

"'Privilege!' 'sclaims Ike in a scornful tone. 'Yas, Lawd! Livin' in de house wid a cantankerous ole woman was surtinly a privelege, of you was strivin' after meekness an' grace an' long suffering of spirit, but, bein' as how I am set on enjoyin

but what I can spare her society mighty comfortable. I sholenly never would have found out what a worm of de dust I is, an' what a sacrefice you made of yo'self in marryin' me, of it hadn't been for her.'

"An' I ain't forgot how yo' Muv always spoke of you as 'Po' Ike,' an' let on dat I must a conjured you to git you to to me wid me. Nor is hit passed from my memory dat she fetched a groun ev'y time I bought me a new calico frock, an' let on dat a wife like me was good to bind her husband in de wukhouse; an' hit rile me yit jest to think of de way dat she would sniff up her nose when I fried de po'k chops, an' ask why in de name of goodness I didn't bile 'em, an' when I biled 'em she would 'low dat de oniest way to cook po'k chops so dey was fitten to eat was to fry 'em.'

"I ain't forgot dat time," sezz Ike, a glittin' gloomier an' gloomier, entrel hit look lak you could cut de pale blue atmosphere wid a knife—"I ain't forgot dat time was we was fust married, dat bein' still amused to tothin' de yoke of matersmony hit galled some, an' no one night I went out wid de boys jest to show dat I was still a free man.

He Recalls Mirandy's Mother

"'I ain't a denyin' dat I stayed later dan I intended, nor yit is I a-disputin' dat I got tangled up wid red eye, an' dat hit looked to me when I got home dat dere was about fo' thousand dev's all weavin' round in a circle, airy one of which was purfessed me of I could jest a managed to hit hit.

"'Likewise I is a admittin' dat I was considerable ashamed of myself, an' of you had a been dere by yo'self I should have told you so, an' flished down in my pocket an' give you de money dat I had won offen de boys at craps; an' whilst you might have given me a few taps wid de rollin' pin, hit would have been just a family affair betwixt you an' me, and hit would have blowed over an' forgot in a hour, an' you would a put cold cloths on my hid, an' I would have been able to git up an' go back to work de nex' day.

"But yo' Maw was a payin' no one of com seeved year visits of hern, an' she was a waitin' up for me wid you, an' she put in her ear an' said things to me dat no body but a wife aint got a legal right to say to no man.

Mirandy, Also, Has a Memory

"'She 'lowed dat I was a draggin' you down to de gutter, an' dat she was gwine to take her po' prostituted darlin' angel home, an' dat she always told you what would happen of you married a low down triflin' critter lak me instead of dat noble Jeems Henry' Smithers what run de Sunday school, an' sung in de choir, an' never touched nothin' stronger dan sweet milk in his life, an' seein' as how dere warn't no stopping' dat human fungycrat, an' she angered out of de house, an' went on a bust dat lasted three weeks an' lost my job.'

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"Dere's one time when de mother-in-law looks lak a angel wid soothin' syrup in her hand, an' dat's when a new baby comes."

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HIDES FROM FRIEND TO SAVE HER OWN LIFE

Lucille La Verne, Well-Known to Boston Stage, Fears She Is Marked Woman.

Miss Lucille La Verne, the actress, who is known to thousands of Bostonians and who played character roles with Lindsay Morison's stock company at the Boston Theatre last year, is in hiding in the Hotel Marlborough, New York, so it is stated that she has been marked for death by a former schoolgirl friend.

This friend, according to the New York dispatches to-day, is thought by Miss La Verne to be mentally unbalanced. Employes of the hotel are guarding the terrified actress and detectives are searching for the schoolgirl friend.

Miss La Verne for many reasons has not made the name of the insane friend public. Fearing the woman will call upon her announced, she has had her room changed and keeps the door locked, while an employe is within call in the hall.

Miss La Verne had not seen this friend for several years, and when her name was sent up on Sunday, she failed to recognize it because the woman had married. When she did get up stairs the woman was very angry at the delay, and the fact that her name had not been recognized at once.

Said She Was Persecuted.

"I cannot tell her name now, beyond her first name, which is Irene," said Miss La Verne yesterday. "When she called on Sunday she told me she was being persecuted by her husband, who with some of the whole world against her save me. I had not seen her in years, although in our time we were like sisters. She said she was living with her husband.

"I told her that was ridiculous, and then she declared that he was versed in the occult and controlled her every move through telepathy. She became excited when I doubted her statements and acted like a maniac almost. She refused to let me leave the room until I had sworn not to go over to her enemies. I followed this up by insisting that I call upon her. She gave me three addresses—one in Jersey and two on Long Island. She grasped me about the waist and yelled: 'Don't you hear the voices? They are created by the powerful telepathic influence of my husband. They are telling me you are not my friend. They urge step out of her head, and I was glad to calm her finally and get away by having her accompany me on a car. She refused to go to a physician with me.

Strange Letter Received.

"This morning I received this letter from her," and Miss La Verne read the following:

Sunday, p. m.

My Dear Lucille—I have waited practically all day, hoping I would call. I have lost you—you and the rest of my friends have gone over to the ranks of the enemy and have joined my husband in his brutal plot against me. (The next sentence was hastily underlined.) This is more than I can stand from you, and remember what I told you at the hotel. I shall cite you at the feet of them, but, oh, my God, Lucille, you have been like a sister to me, and if I have lost everyone else in life—and it you are going against me I would rather be dead. But not alone. You must go first. Those terrible voices I have told you about, sounding me night and day, are still saying, 'They are false to you, even Lucille.' Why should I want to live? You have been all else for, but what have I? I don't want to go alone, when in another world we could be together as we were in the days of my childhood. Believe in him. Say I may come to you and stay there for a few days. You can save me or I shall go mad and shoot myself.

IRENE.

I will call Tuesday if you do not call Tuesday.

The letter was written in a scrawling, uncertain hand on blue note paper. Since receiving it Miss La Verne has not left her apartments.

SHUMAN DECKS FOR VETS OF '98

Among the countless decorations in honor of the visiting Spanish War Veterans displayed in profusion by scores of stores and merchant houses in Boston to-day none commands greater admiration or heartier exclamations of praise than the stores of A. Shuman & Company, at Summer and Washington streets.

Unusual is the decorative scheme followed in draping the entire building for the welcoming of the veterans of the late war. Hundreds of yards of red, buff, white and blue bunting are festooned and draped from roofs to pavement. The devices are unusually effective.

Right over the famous "Shuman Corner" are Dewey's immortal words: "You may fire when ready, Gridley." Above these words is a large painting of Admiral Dewey.

On the Summer street side is the legend

"Welcome, Veterans of the Spanish War.

"As heretofore, so hereafter, will the nation demonstrate its stress to administer any new state wants or wounds dealt upon it, and in the fear of God will take occasion by the hand and make the bonds of freedom wider yet."—McKinley.

On the Washington street side of the store is lettered conspicuously this motto:

"Welcome, Veterans of the Spanish War.

"United in our devotion to the flag which is the symbol of national greatness and unity, the very existence of our union enables us all in every part of the country to glory in our valor alike by the sons of the North and the sons of the South."—Roosevelt.

BIDS FAREWELL TO BACHELORS

Dr. J. R. McKinnon of Tremont street was surprised when he arrived at the Quincy House to find sixteen friends awaiting him there and discovered himself guest of honor at a bachelor dinner in honor of his marriage to Miss Edith Duff of Acton, Ontario. He leaves to-day for her home. After the wedding Dr. and Mrs. McKinnon will spend a month touring the Provinces. They will make their home in Newton.

Attorney W. J. O'Donnell presided at the dinner. Among the speakers were former Councilman J. A. McDonald, former chief of Police Cunningham of Cambridge, A. C. Chisholm, vice-president of the Intercolonial Club, and J. D. Mackay of Quincy.

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Heir to Millions Breaks Arm While on Roller Skates

YOUNG CHARLIE HARRIMAN HAS ARM IN SPLINT

Special to the Boston American.

NEWPORT, R. I., Sept. 2.—Although he is the heir to millions, little Charles McLean Harriman is much like any other boy when it comes to falling down on roller skates and breaking an arm.

Young Charlie was skating around the smooth walks at "No View" villa when he fell down, and snap went one arm.

It hurt Charlie just as much as it would hurt a poor boy. And he was kissed and petted and fussed over like any other kid.

Now his arm is in a splint and Charlie is the object of much fond attention from pitying maids and matrons. But Charlie is plucky, and insists that his arm "doesn't hurt much now," and that he will be all right soon. He wants the bone to knit quickly so he can go roller skating again.

Charlie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Harriman and brother of young "Lew" Harriman, the dashing out-fielder in the boys' baseball club of the cottage colony.

His mamma is one of the handsomest matrons in the Newport set, and her boys have inherited the engaging qualities that make her popular in the social set.

CAPTAIN MERRIAM DIES AT PORTSMOUTH

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Sept. 2.—Captain Greenleaf A. Merriam, for six weeks commander of the Portsmouth Navy Yard, and previous to that time commander of the U. S. S. Missouri, died here early to-day, following an operation for appendicitis a week ago. He was about fifty-five years old, and was appointed to the service at Marblehead, Mass., in July, 1863. He leaves a wife, two sons and one daughter.

The Man of a Hundred Masks

A Story of Love and Mystery—By Hazen Lynch.

Synopsis

John Joseph Armour, multi-millionaire banker of Wall street, disappears, taking $1,000,000 of his fellows' money. He leaves a young daughter, Margaret, to face his ruin and disgrace. Investigation of his accounts shows him a rogue, a swindler and a thief. Left alone in the world, Margaret, his daughter, goes to his partner, Mr. Preston Fenno, her father had pounded for her, and decides to earn her own living. Aided by a friend, Madge Gordon, who is a stage favorite, Margaret gets the chance to sing before a big theatrical manager—Oscar Hawkman. He makes a contract with her unscrupulous and she is given a part in his next opera, "The Bear Girl," which Gordon, the star, and Hawkman, the author and Manager are to produce. Margaret becomes a letter reader in Lancelot Astor, who proves himself as his uncle, a South American millionaire, saving he is coming to ask for guardianship.

"The sum of 100 marks," establishes himself in New York in different disguises, assuming the disguise of Arthur Satterwell and Jacob Carpenter. He is followed by Inspector Mangan and his 100 marks in outfits, apparently recognizing him. He is restrained by Captain Fitzhenry.

CHAPTER VI.

The Leader of the Black Hand.

THE Honorable George Bassendyne was the fourth son of the Earl of Petworth. He had been more trouble to his father than all the rest of the family put together.

Expelled from Harrow, sent down from Oxford, given the option of resigning his commission in the Guards, "stolen" money" when he served with the Yeomanry in South Africa, the Honorable George was the enigmatic, the "mad egg." And it was greatly to his family's relief that he chose to make his residence for a time in New York.

Immediately he found a gambler, and not anything in extremes; but he was that serious thing, an un-moral man, which is quite a different thing from an immoral one. There was a strange fascination, too, mystery in his appearance, he was swarthy and black-haired as a Spanish or Italian Mephistopheles, and had an eye that was always veiled, even when in life, for he always seemed well supplied with money, although, as was well known, Bassendyne kept him down to £250 paid quarterly. He lived in handsome apartments in Fifth avenue, the rental alone of which ate up his allowance at a third.

He was seen everywhere—at Delmonico's, at Sherry's, at Churchill's, the Metropole, the races, the polo matches—in a word, at all places where gilded youth seek to rub off the gilt.

Of course he was at the first night of "The Bear Girl." Among the galaxy of beauties with which the Hawkman show dazzled the public he recognized Miss Mimi Van Aister, whom he had met in New York the previous winter. After the show was over he was among the crowd at the stage door, and when the delightfully lady appeared hastened to greet her with the assurance of an old friend. But Miss Van Aister was in a deaf and blind humor, and was going to pass him by.

"Oh, you must remember me," he went on, "George Bassendyne—Lord George you know."

At that she stopped.

"Well—now—so it is—wicked George Bassendyne. How's Bowdy?"

"Well, and hungry." And you?" They "Bowdy" and he.

"Ditto, ditto; an' mad."

Now his arm is in a splint at last."

"Not that sort—real mad. Can't you get me something to eat? A broiled bird, an a cold bottle?"

"Hawkman!" cried the Honorable George, "Let me take you to the Grill Room Club! So you're mad?"

"Like a peacock. Oh, I'll tell you fast enough. It's all Gordon's fault. She's got a crack somewhere. Saw that thing that 'Love' Harriman, the dashing out-fielder in the boys' baseball club of the cottage colony.

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egg, bad chicken—so she needn't crow."

"You are in a temper, Mimi," said the Honorable George.

"My!" she retorted scornfully. "Not me! I could do a little genius murdering, though, if I got half a chance. This your friend?"

It was his kennel—the Grill Room Club. There was a medley gathering of actors, artists, authors, journalists—all the representatives of latter-day Bohemia, with a sprinkling of men about town of George's type. Besides Mimi van Aister there were only two other women in the place—young Mrs. Gilfeirlit and her cousin, the American Duchess of Kirkcaldy, high priestesses of the Smart Set, who were "seeing life" under the tutelage of Harry Astor, the "beauty man."

The waiter stopped and whispered something in George Bassendyne's ear. Bassendyne bowed over his table cavalierly. He was a curly haired and tall, swarthy faced man, starkly dressed.

"Excuse me," he said to Mimi. "I'll be back soon. I forgot."

The man never missed missing, and when Bassendyne was directly in front of him he said:

"Hello, Zucchi!" Zucchi still stared straight into the other man's eyes.

"There's business to be done to-night and you were not there. Why?"

Zucchi stopped and whispered something in George Bassendyne's ear. Bassendyne bowed over his table carelessly. He was a curly haired and tall, swarthy faced man, starkly dressed.

"You forgot?" he exclaimed. "Forget! You got your answers?"

"Yes."

"Then I insist on knowing why you did not attend the meeting."

"I forgot you. Forgot. It is true."

Zucchi smiled grimly.

"The business had to be postponed. But we meet again to-night—that is, at 5 this morning. Was that a telegram called you starting at? So you had better get your supper over quickly and be at Carapello's on time. Till then—au revoir."

"I'll be there," and Bassendyne in a low voice.

George Bassendyne had a very whole-some fear of his friend Zucchi. They had once been the joint owners of some secret gaming places of which there are so many in New York, skilfully evaded hiding from the eyes that escape the eyes of the police since they were established. They were patronized by the terrible murderers and have the outward appearance of all the respectability. Now Bassendyne and Zucchi had become friends he could not tell; they were enthralled—perhaps it was for that reason they were attracted to each other.

Gaetano Zucchi was of Italian-Swiss extraction. He was a graduate of Bologna University, and could quote you lengths of the Aeneid and the Iliad. He had come to New York from Pentrelan in one of the annual migrations of natives, but he had long given up the apron and napkin for one of the safe and more remunerative employments. He had become an adept in crime. He had so far thrived on blackmail and thievery. He was now the chief of the Black Hand in New York.

Everyone who reads newspapers has heard of the Black Hand, that ghastly infernal brotherhood of murderers, kidnappers, which has wielded such power of late years, terrorizing rich society, intimidating, blackmailing, bleeding it, until the poor Italians were called its evil and his own. Who does not remember the kidnapping of Rockefeller's twelve-year-old son, who was held to ransom for a million dollars? And in England there was the murder of Lord Leiceniam, because, as was proved by letters found in his secretoire, he refused to pay them $100,000.

In Russia and America there have been countless mysterious deaths where a card bearing a black hand in rough silhouette was found on the body.

Of the American branch of the Black Hand Gaetano Zucchi was the directing brain. He had got Don Corrego into Sing Sing on his title, and he used his mercilessly. Bassendyne was of supreme utility because, although he was no white sheep, he still had his friends in society, and could collect information without arousing any suspicion.

Up to now that had been his chief duty.

But Zucchi had seen signs of restlessness, and wanted to bind Bassendyne closer to the organization. To that end he had devised a little plot that Bassendyne had frustrated for the moment by saying away from the appointed meeting on Grand Island.

With the wonder of what evil task Zucchi was devising for him revolving in his mind, Bassendyne and paid little attention to the chatter of Mimi Van Aister as they sat at their table in the Grill Room Club.

"You are not listening to me, George," said that young person petulantly.

"I assure you I am."

"What was I saying then?"

"You were—you were saying that Miss Armour was—that she was—"

"Well, George, not a bit like it. Your mind's wandering. In love."

"Will you be in front of me, how dare I deny it?"

Mimi's Dream of Love

He was a handsome fellow and when he had taken a fancy to a woman he could be quite fascinating. He was now, and Mimi was a little frightened to feel that she was falling in love with him. That was a fact, however, and as it forged, for he really fell in love one must have a heart, and Mimi was ready for Mr. Right. But she could delude herself. So she did that. "Don't say that," she said softly. "You know you don't mean it."

"Why shouldn't I?" he said carelessly. "You are as pretty a girl as a man could wish to see, and—please I'm thinking of settling down to domesticity and church twice on Sunday—there would you like to be the Honorable Mrs. George?"

She did, that much he could see much, although I'm a suspicion I could make as good a wife as any of those bred and butter English girls of yours. And, George, you know—"

"What do I know?"

He hesitated.

"Things," she said, vaguely.

"Oh, dreamy you do," he agreed, "but what things? You are not a mysterious about."

Nothing—well, perhaps something that should make us good friends."

She fell into a muse and took her hand.

"You'll tell me," he teased.

"I know," she answered slowly, "I know all about Mrs. Schuyler's emeralds. Let go—you are hurting me—I'll scream in a minute."

He did let go. He sat back in his chair glaring at her. Then with a little facetiousness to them now. They had more of murder. She shrank from him, but free pale beneath the paint she had not troubled to remove.

"Go on," he said in a hoarse voice.

"I'm not blaming you, George," she said through tears.

He laughed savagely.

"I am obliged to you," he said. "Be sure I'll take your forgiveness. You see, I don't deny anything. Why should I? We are alone here, and I'm in your power—yes, I took Mrs. Schuyler's emeralds. Why not? I'm hard up, need the money, and I had. Simple rule of life? Well, I'm simple man and quite content. Miss Mimi, you're a simple fool. To have somebody's secret in your hand, willing to give away your knowledge is foolish."

Miss Van Aister's eyes hardened to pinpoints. She was a simple fool. She laughed artificially and put out her glass more wine.

"George Bassendyne," said she, "I don't give you my secret. I'm going to go; you sent back to London, and to provide you with a handsome wedding fail for the next ten years."

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DAHLMAN WINS IN NEBRASKA

OMAHA, Sept. 2.—Returns so far completed from the State primaries indicate the nomination of James C. Dahlman, the cowboy Mayor of Omaha, who was Bryan's right hand man at the Denver convention, as the Democratic candidate for Governor. He gets a big majority in Douglas County. Governor Sheldon had no opposition for renomination, and will lead the Republican forces again.

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Manager McGraw got one of the greatest third basemen in the game by a combination of good judgment and good luck. Devlin was with the Newark club in the Eastern League, where his playing had never burned up the magnets. He came from Georgetown, where he was dear in the undergraduate lady as one of the best catchers that ever graced the football team.

Newark sort of tossed him into a deal with Medicine, and the Giants hailed the advent of a star. He went South with the team, and then began the gas to happen. McGraw tried him out at third base, and in a few weeks he developed a remarkable natural ability to play the most difficult corner of the infield. Brigade with three steady workmen like Devlin, Doyle and Mcgann, the young Dalhen, Herzog, Murray and Meyers are displayed more and more confidence after displayed more and more confidence and class and fairly earned his right to be permanent third sacker of the team. He has never been anywhere near leading his pen since.

As a foundation he has a marvellous batting eye. He is the best throwing third baseman in either league. He can pick from any position and get them over to first up anywhere and at any angle. He is a very shrewd baserunner, too.

Devlin is a wonder on bunts. He has perfected the spectacular trick of sprinting up on a sacrifice at full speed, scooping the ball with his trusting hand, and snapping it across his doubled up body with the same motion. He can raise like a aeroplane for a liner, and he pulls off many a sensational stop and throw to which some blasting grounders come his way.

He is not a strong batter, but thought he is not a fast runner he is one of the best base-stealers in the league. Like seven out of ten great infielders he is a big man, in spite of the rule that "infielders should be built close to the ground." He is a very clever boxer and one of the best two-handed fighters that ever broke into the big leagues. He can probably lick any man on the Giant team (which is some distinction, but he doesn't have to fight Bresnahan got a trifle too venomous in his criticism one day, and when Artie had completed his work the Toledo policeman was sent for publication.

NOTES OF THE DOUBLE-HEADER.

The first win was no cinch for the Giants, but the second was very likely.

The Giants could not get a run off Flaherty after making four the first time up at the bat.

Then when Flanagan went in in the ninth and passed three men in succession the trouble right off.

Mrs. Mike Donlin was a conspicuous figure in the front row of the stand, rooting on the genial Mike.

Bresnahan showed his gait by sticking to the game when he got a welt on the leg which swelled up big.

Mathewson was after a no-hit game, as he held down Hoyes down to one hit in the ninth inning.

Mel Wolfing pulled down a swift foul in the stand which showed that he had not forgotten former days on the diamond.

Devlin was the swatter. He got six hits eight times up, which is something to record a single, a double and another a triple.

Turkey turned out well, as Devlin's homer was the only run the Giants could get for six innings. The only other run in the score in that round.

He had a pitch succession in the seventh, three hits coming, and he issued two passes. Both runs came in the second game.

Dummy Taylor will probably get the sign to work to-day and will face Lindaman. Which is something is expected to all right.

Devlin created a lot of amusement in the second game when he got the whole team after him, starting his bit between first and second and finally running out in the field.

McGraw gave his substitutes a chance in the last inning of the second game, pulling out the veterans.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	77	47	.621
Pittsburg	73	47	.608
Chicago	71	49	.592
Philadelphia	64	57	.529
Cincinnati	58	62	.483
Brooklyn	53	67	.442
Boston	43	74	.367
St. Louis	35	84	.294

STANDING ONE YEAR AGO.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	99	43	.697
New York	98	48	.671
Pittsburg	96	49	.662
Philadelphia	83	61	.576
Brooklyn	79	65	.549
Cincinnati	66	77	.462
Boston	58	85	.406
St. Louis	52	91	.364

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

New York, 4; Boston, 1; first game.
New York, 5; Boston, 0; second game.
Pittsburg, 5; Cincinnati, 2; first game.
Pittsburg, 3; Cincinnati, 2; second game.
Philadelphia, 4; Brooklyn, 2; first game.
Philadelphia, 5; Brooklyn, 0; second game.
St. Louis, 5; Chicago, 4.

GAMES TO-DAY.

New York at Boston.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
Chicago at Cincinnati.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit	81	51	.614
Cleveland	77	51	.602
Chicago	67	52	.563
Boston	67	58	.536
Philadelphia	59	67	.468
St. Louis	57	74	.435
New York	39	80	.328
Washington	35	78	.310

STANDING ONE YEAR AGO.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit	99	46	.683
Philadelphia	92	60	.605
Chicago	91	61	.599
Cleveland	89	63	.586
Boston	75	77	.493
New York	71	81	.467
St. Louis	54	96	.360
Washington	43	107	.287

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

Washington, 7; Boston, 6.
Cleveland, 1; Detroit, 0.
Chicago, 4; St. Louis, 0.
New York, 4; Philadelphia, 2 (five games).
Philadelphia, 5; New York, 3 (second game).

GAMES TO-DAY.

Boston at Washington.
Philadelphia at New York.
Chicago at St. Louis.
Detroit at Cleveland.

WILL THE GIANTS' PICNIC BE DISTURBED AGAIN?

SAM LANGFORD GIVES JEANETTE A DRUBBING

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—There are few fans around New York Langford, the colored boxer in the American prize ring. Poor, big Joe Jeanette tried to get into the championship ranks, and National A. C. ball fell by the wayside. He didn't topple of his own accord, but it is announced, but every time he went south he was bent and twisted with agony.

Mind you this Jeanette is a master at the Queensbury shindig. He is one of the few great sugar gaiters and he is big and tremendously built.

Jeanette Top Weight.

Jeanette surely was twenty pounds heavier than his dusky brother. In the first round Langford's left arm got tangled in Jeanette's terrible poke over the kidneys with his right hand. As Joe kept tossing the floor in pain Sam stashed up with the left and Jeanette was completely lifted off the floor with the force of the uppercut. He landed with a smack flat on his stomach.

Poor Joe remained there inert for a brief spell and then pried himself erect with grit. When he did get a foot the second round with the diamond studded enthusiast flung his imported straw at the big man. Incident.

Jeanette Bent Double.

Sam was full of business, despite the roar. He soft shoed close to his prey and as Joe bent over Sam sent a hook right him with a thump with his left over the kidneys that brought Joe to his hands and knees again for the full count. He got up and was sent down a third time. It seemed—into Jeanette's mid section. Jeanette was bent double like a bow. How he ever remained erect after receiving these cuts in the stomach will ever be a mystery. But he did and what is more, at set time he straightened up and threw Sam's head back four times in succession with straight lefts. Each time Sam Langford's head bobbed back till it cracked his spine. The bell rang. Then all hands came on deck and voted it the greatest single round of fighting ever seen in Gotham, town.

In the second round Jeanette came out of his angle of the ars right a catapult. He straightened his long black left arm as he rushed and tilted it with a crack against Sam's flat nose. Samuel took a look and then lunged in again. Jeanette soaked him with a fight to the jaw and Sam swooned to be getting the worst of it.

They fought all over the ring, and as the bell rang Sam crossed over with a right and caught Jeanette full on the point. Jeanette reeled from the force of the blow and seemed about to fall. He bounced alone from his corner awakened him to the fact that there was a respite due and ere he bowled to his corner. He took the long way around getting there.

The referee had not been roped he would have toppled off the canvas into the crowd.

Still Full of Fight.

With this blow as a terrible handicap Jeanette came out for the third full of fight. He won all the honors in this round. Sam evidently got past his wonderful defence.

The fifth began with the crowd blasing for more action. The first four rounds had been long at such a clip that the crowd couldn't tolerate a brief bit of inactivity and both the tired men indulged in. Sam, evidently nettled at the lack of cheering for what he had done, began to sneer a left that sent Jeanette to the floor. His eyes rolled and he looked beaten then and time for sure. He lay on his side in peaceful slumber for a while and then bowed arose for more. As he drew up Sam tried to nail him with a right uppercut that he missed, and Sam all but did a back flip from the force of the sport blow. Jeanette this and the sixth. In fact he went after Sam's middle and had the dusky one very tired at the end of the sixth, but Sam won every inch of the way.

YOUNG OTTO BACK; AFTER WILLIE FITZ

BY TAD.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Young Otto came back from Los Angeles with a smile as wide as a telephone boot and a coat of tan like an Indian.

"Great place out there," chirped the Knockout Kid, as he rubbed his hands. "I only had one fight. It went one round and then they all drew the Otto line. McFarland and Welch cut me on their list. Mac is a good fighter and has no punch. I don't think he'll ever knock out a really good fighter.

"Jeff? Oh, he's big and fat and happy. No, he's all through with the game. He won't fight any more. He's a great fellow though.

"Ad Wolgast had not been roped he would have toppled off the canvas into the crowd.

"Frisco and Murphy? Oh, a toss up. I couldn't say. I'd like to get a shot at Ertle if he wins. I see that no one will fight Willie Fitzgerald. Tell him I'm here and I'll take a chance. I'm going to lay Langford a good soon n' one of these local clubs, and after that you can send any of them along. I won't pick them out."

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Charlie Harvey, The American Millionaire, left for Frisco yesterday afternoon on the 4 o'clock train. Charlie is going to see the big six-round fight, which takes place at Colma on the 7th. He says that he will send Moran right after Attell and either win or lose in a knockout.

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Jimmy Johnson copped a great card for the fight last night at the Fairmont Club when he looked up Keyes and Bob Kern. Keyes recently knocked out Charley Griffin in five rounds, while Bob Kern recently met Jamie McGarry and won over Griffin in six rounds. Two winners always make a drawing card.

74,000 FANS SAW GIANTS IN CHICAGO

Chicago has broken all records for attendance on baseball games. In the series between New York and Chicago more spectators paid to see the battles than ever attended a three-game series in America, breaking the record made when the Giants played a few days ago in New York.

Approximately 74,000 persons witnessed the games, being about 4,000 more than the number in New York—and one day of that engagement was scheduled as an extra game, although only one game was played. Just before that series Pittsburg and New York broke about 50,000 to see three games.

The record for three games broke all world's series records, and probably will stand a long time, as attendance, now that the Giants and Cubs still are battling for the pennant, is the one reach New York on the coming eastern trip.

Besides that, more money was paid to see the three games than ever before in the history of baseball.

It is not probable that the Cubs and Giants divided $45,000 in gate money between them, as Chicago club getting the lion's share of the money, as well as of the glory.

VET. OARSMAN LOSES WATCH

Officer Dennis J. Casey, whose beat is in Summer street and vicinity, is mourning the loss of a solid gold hunting case splitsecond timing watch, and while the value of the watch is considerable, it is the fact that he won it in the Fall River regatta in August, 1883, that makes the loss mean so much more to him.

Mr. Casey's small son, a lad of nine years, seeing the watch in a bureau drawer in the house, got the idea of showing it to a little to his playmates. While in flourishing the watch in running with another boy of his age, he in some way dropped the watch without noticing the loss at the time. This was almost two weeks ago. Mr. Casey, not having occasion to look in the drawer, did not discover the loss for some till yesterday.

Any person finding the watch can, by calling at the home of Mr. Casey's home, No. 346 Geneva avenue, Dorchester, receive a suitable reward.

HARVARD GETS OARSMAN.

WORCESTER, Sept. 2.—Fred F. Cretic, a former Worcester High School star oarsman, is to enter Harvard in the Fall, for the express purpose, as he said to-day, of making the crew.

Cretic has rowed steadily since leaving high school and has participated in a couple of national regattas.

AMATEUR CHAMP HALL LOSES IN ARMORY BOUTS

There was a big boxing card for the Armory A. A. members last night when the amateur had their innings, and the seats were all occupied, many of the Spanish War veterans being guests of the evening.

In all there were nineteen bouts run off to the 118, 125, 135-pound classes, besides the several special bouts arranged with star talent performing.

The big surprise of the sport was the defeat of the amateur champion, Henry Hall, who holds the national amateur 158-pound class title, by Andrew Morris of East Boston, who had four pounds weight on him, and while his reach and strength proved just a little too good for Hall. It was one of the best cards on the bill, as there was good action all the way. Morris got over a short right in the first round which put Hall on the floor, and kept forcing matters in the two remaining rounds.

All the bouts were of three rounds duration, but very few went the limit, as some of the boys got all they wanted before the end came.

Max Baker of the South End won the medal in the 125-pound competition, as Murphy, who qualified for the final round, and also Holt of Roxbury, decided not to contest for final honors.

Joe Latimer of Cambridge won the final bout in the 115-pound class from William Rotch, who won his preliminary bout by knockouts. This was over in a round, as Latimer was chopping Rotch to pieces.

Wester of Everett won the prize in the 135-pound class after some tough skilling and meeting Kelley in the final, who had the several special bouts arranged with star talent performing.

The summaries:

115-Pound Class—Final bouts, John Collins, Dorchester beat Julius Levy, Roxbury, 3 rounds; Joseph Cambridge, Cambridge, beat William Rotch, South Boston, beat Joseph F. Ward, William Rotch, South Boston, beat Ward, Morris Rankin, Cambridge, beat Joseph Cambridge, beat John Rafferty, Nashua, 3 rounds; semi-finals, Conroy beat Rankin, 3 rounds; Rotch beat O'Brien, 3 rounds. Final bout, Tinker beat Rotch, 3 rounds.

125-Pound Class—Final bouts, Max Baker, South End, beat H. McKeever, Cambridge, 2 rounds; Jack Murphy, Cambridge, beat Joseph Cambridge, by default, 1 round; Max Baker, South Boston, beat J. Murphy, Cambridge, 3 rounds. Semi-finals, Baker beat H. Mooney, Cambridge, 3 rounds; Semi-finals, Murphy beat Cambridge, 3 rounds; Baker beat Murphy, 3 rounds.

135-Pound Class—J. E. Wester, Everett, beat Joseph Cambridge, by default; Joseph Cambridge, South End, beat H. Walsh, South Boston, 3 rounds. Final bout, Wester beat Cambridge, 3 rounds.

Special Bouts—105-pound class, Max Lasky, Roxbury, beat Joseph Cambridge, 3 rounds; 125-pound class, H. Shevlin, Elm A. A., beat Joseph Cambridge, 3 rounds; 158-pound class, Andrew Morris, East Boston, beat Henry Hall, Boston, 3 rounds.

OLD CY WILL GET ANOTHER RECEPTION

CANAL DOVER, O., Sept. 2.—When Old "Cy" Young returns to his home in Tuscarawas county at the close of the season he will be given a big reception at New Philadelphia, the county seat.

The idea for the reception was suggested by Professor Ira Cress, superintendent of the Toledo schools, in an address before the county teachers' institute. A committee of a number of fans held a meeting, and an organization was formed to make arrangements for the event.

It is planned to hold a ball game, in which the professional players of the county will participate. One of the leaders of the movement is "Thumby" Dunlap, an old umpire, who was in the game with Young when he played on the diamonds of Tuscarawas county twenty years ago.

Professor J. V. McMillan, of the Marietta Normal, has been notified to deliver an address. Mr. McMillan is a close friend and a warm admirer of Young.

Among the professional ball players who will be in the reception are Al Shaw of the Chicago Nationals, who will probably assist in the reception are Al Shaw of the Chicago Nationals, who will probably assist one of the Toronto Eastern League team. Ora Lagerald, a ball player in New York American and Frank Moore, who will be with the New York American League team next year.

NELSON AND ATTELL CHOICES ON THE COAST

By Boston American Leased Wire.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 2.—Betting has begun on the September pugilistic championship fight and the Nelson supporters will be chances in the odds, it is firmly established that Abe Attell and Battling Nelson will be firm favorites in their respective contests.

On the Attell-Owen Moran affair the price against the Englishman remains in 10 to 9, with lengthening tendencies. Just how much more liberal Attell's backers will increase their investments is problematical, as handles the majority prize wagers, believes that 10 to 7's will be offered against Moran within a few days.

10 to 9 on Nelson.

In the Battling Nelson-Joe Gans bout the Dane's supporters are willing to bet 10 to 9, and here again it is thought that longer odds will be obtainable before the end of the week.

Just why the two men named are in favor with the speculators is not hard to fathom. In Nelson's case he won so easily in his fight with Gans that the superiority of sporting men expect him to repeat. It is evident that Gans is not the fighter he was when he defeated Nelson.

In the Attell-Moran bout the light weight pins the laurels of the fight by the articles of agreement has all to do with it. Moran is generally conceded to be a much better fighter than Attell, but the latter's ways make a drawing card.

NEW PLAYERS FOR HUB TEAMS

CINCINNATI, Sept. 2.—In the National League, Boston and Chicago, and in the American League, St. Louis and New York, are the largest number of players by draft. The Boston players are:

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

By Boston—From Toronto, Murray; from Johnstown, Brain; from Boston, Allen; from Evansville, French; from Aberdeen, Thompson; from Columbus James.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

By Boston—From Kansas City, Enoch; from San Francisco, Beck; from Cedar Rapids, Simon; from Augusta, Coles and Redmond; from Lansing, Porter and Tooman from Paris, Staley.

EASTERN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Rochester, 2, Jersey City, 0.
Newark, 6, Toronto, 4.
Providence, 4, Buffalo, 0.
Montreal, 2, Baltimore, 1.

NEW CATCHER FOR RED SOX

President John I. Taylor of the Boston American team has signed Catcher Higgins of the Rochester Eastern League team.

Higgins has been sold to Manager Lake at the grounds when the team goes back from Washington.

Higgins is formerly a student at the University of Vermont and played at Rochester in 1907. He was to have reported to the club at the close of the college season, but was made a free agent when the Rochester club notified him not to report. He is a big fellow and went to Rochester in 1907 to help out Buckenberger, who was then a catcher. He is a heavy hitter, batting .292 in that year, and is a hard worker.

CONN. LEAGUE RESULTS.

New Haven, 2, Hartford, 1.
New Britain, 10, Meriden, 4 (first game).
New Britain, 7, Meriden, 2 (second game).
Bridgeport, 6, Springfield, 4.

N. E. LEAGUE

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Worcester	76	53	.589
Lowell	69	59	.539
Haverhill	69	61	.531
Lynn	67	62	.519
Manchester	66	62	.516
Lawrence	61	67	.477
Fall River	57	71	.445
New Bedford	39	89	.305

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

Fall River, 3, Lowell, 2 (10 innings).
Brockton, 7, Worcester, 2.
Haverhill, 9, New Bedford, 0.
Lawrence, 5, Lynn, 3.

GAMES TO-DAY.

Brockton at Lowell.
Lynn at Haverhill.
New Bedford at Lawrence.
Fall River at Worcester.

FAMOUS AUTO DRIVER IN LOWELL'S BIG RACE

BY J. C. KERRIGON.

The ten men who are to drive machines for honor and glory in the 250-mile motor road race at Lowell Labor day are rapidly reaching the scene of the struggle. Already one-half the number of drivers with their cars are on hand, and have established training quarters at different points on the course. This morning there was a little practice work, but no fast time recorded, the men being fully satisfied with getting over the course to learn the twists and the turns which are more or less apt to be confusing during the race itself.

This race has brought to the fore as a road driver a man of whom great things have always been expected, namely, Charles Basle, who gained considerable distinction while driving the Flying Dutchman 1 for H. I. Bowden. Basle has performed remarkable work on the track, but has never competed in a road contest. He secured the 24-hour race at Providence a few years ago, quite mark at Providence a few years ago, and established a reputation for himself that made even the famous Oldfield afraid to meet him in a match race. He was at one time really to jump into the breach at the Vanderbilt race and drive a Mercedes, but the Basles was found to possess certain domestic parts which disqualified it as a member of the German team, and so Basle lost his chance to drive in an international road race. The Knox Company has secured him to drive one of its entries in the Lowell, by means that its speed and ability will be used to advantage by a man who knows how to get the very best out of a car. Will Poole, Lozean and Burman, three other interesting work in this city, being absolutely fireproof, and equipped with everything that goes to make a first class garage and repair shop. Situated as Basle is right at the very entrance to Boston's riding district its proprietor, H. M. Rider & Co., cannot help but make a success.

The course of the 24-hour endurance contest of the Bay State Automobile Association is one of such a character as will demand careful and conservative driving on the part of the entries if they desire to bring the speed up to possess certain domestic parts which disqualified it as a member of the German team, and so Basle lost his chance to drive in an international road race. The Knox Company has secured him to drive one of its entries in the Lowell, by means that its speed and ability will be used to advantage by a man who knows how to get the very best out of a car. Will Poole, Lozean and Burman, three other interesting work in this city, being absolutely fireproof, and equipped with everything that goes to make a first class garage and repair shop. Situated as Basle is right at the very entrance to Boston's riding district its proprietor, H. M. Rider & Co., cannot help but make a success.

drivers that they have never seen a better or faster course or that the details of a race have been so thoroughly in hand as are those of this contest.

The transportation companies are making special arrangements for the proper handling of the crowd of visitors expected on Monday. The railroads, the street railway companies and the every agents have all made extensive arrangements for caring for the crowd of visitors, and one of the dangerous turns has been widened and banked, while the bumps that have been in the roads heretofore have been entirely eliminated, and from the opinion of more than one of the drivers some really fast if not record work can be anticipated.

While Lowell is in the midst of preparations for the 250-mile road race the members of the Automobile Club of Spring field are doing an end of work in preparation of the hill-climbing contest to be held there on Sept. 11. Every promises to be the big hill-climb of the year in these parts, and the character of its entry list is not being injured in the least by the 24-hour race at Brighton Beach.

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Boston's newest garage, known as the Regent Garage, situated on Lansdowne street, was opened for business yesterday morning. The new garage is one of the finest in the city, and is a credit to the city, being absolutely fireproof, and equipped with everything that goes to make a first class garage and repair shop. Situated as Basle is right at the very entrance to Boston's riding district its proprietor, H. M. Rider & Co., cannot help but make a success.

KETCHEL SAYS HE'LL EASILY MAKE WEIGHT

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 2.—Stanley Ketchel commenced the rosebery of his training camp life by side-stepping the sections work in hand and spending the forenoon in golf, the bright California sunshine gilding about the entirety and the middleweight champion of the world was a happy ranger in his big White steamer. The middleweight champion went on the road for a long run in the morning. Finding himself down to a weight that satisfies his manager and trainer, Ketchel proposed and succeeded in making only one game was played. Just before that series Pittsburg and New York were about 50,000 to see three games.

The record for three games broke all world's series records, and probably will stand a long time, as attendance, now that the Giants and Cubs still are battling for the pennant, is the one reach New York on the coming eastern trip.

Besides that, more money was paid to see the three games than ever before in the history of baseball.

It is not probable that the Cubs and Giants divided $45,000 in gate money between them, as Chicago club getting the lion's share of the money, as well as of the glory.

AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIP RACES

Jimmy Johnson copped a great card for the fight last night at the Fairmont Club when he looked up Keyes and Bob Kern. Keyes recently knocked out Charley Griffin in five rounds, while Bob Kern recently met Jamie McGarry and won over Griffin in six rounds. Two winners always make a drawing card.

Notes of the Harness Horses

Leo McDonald thinks of stopping at Memphis.

George Bair has made a great job as a starter.

Miss Bell Rose starts against the watch at Syracuse.

Lou Dillon has placed the Vermont race record at 2.08¾.

Four youngsters by Bingara took records last week.

Ed Benyon's stable is laying up at the Indianapolis track.

Joe (2.10) won the European championship in 1906-1907.

Charles Sanders has more than a fair trotter in Ethan (2.10¼).

Mike Reardon says he has refused $40,000 for Allen Winter.

Geers Direct (2.12¼) is a four-year-old son of Walter Direct (2.04¾).

Roger Rouke of Greenfield has bought the Mokie trotter, Bert.

The drivers at Lexington will all wear bright-colored suits of satin.

There will be no fair at Taunton this year.

Quite a number of stables shipped West from Readville.

The Cranberry Circuit horses race at the Barnstable Fair next week.

Ringen stock went up several notches as a result of the Readville meeting.

Jimmy Carpenter expects to start Rudd in the Charter Oak stake at the Hartford meeting.

Flemming Boy (2.06¾) has started in nine races this season, winning seven.

Charley Dean has worked the two-year-old trotter Bit Black Almont (2.29¾) in 2.18¾.

Jack Leyburn (2.04¼) has had a layoff, and his next start will be in the Charter Oak stake at Hartford.

Hartford is to have a meeting of the good old-fashioned kind they say.

There will be another $50,000 handicap, and it will be decided over Readville.

Never before have so many bad horses been engaged for the Grand Circuit.

Ralph Wick, who won fourth money in the Derby, leads among bad in 1908.

At the Newburgport Fair $25 in gold will be awarded the three winners in each heat.

More than one owner raised a rumpus because trainers put the names out of the baskets.

Al Stanley, a two-year-old trotter by Todd, has taken a race record of 2.19¾ over a half-mile track.

Berta Mac (2.09) is a new 2.10 trotter for Mc-Kinney, Yule & Valley Girl (2.09¾) is just outside the circle.

Miss Hoir (2.04¼) paced an exhibition mile in 2.02 at the Great Western Circuit meeting at Dubuque.

Charles Sanders's gelding Dillan (2.10¼), winner of the Blue Hill stake at Readville, is entered in 2.06 trotter by good judges.

Fred Clarke, who has been racing his stable successfully over the half-mile tracks, is back at the Providence track.

The pacing mare King's Idyll (2.12¾), that won at Readville, is by Kingsley, and not by Idyll, as stated there. It is said that she has not lost a race last season or this.

Although he has not been in the first start at Readville, it will be well not to overlook Ann Arbor Boy (2.08¾) in the 2.12 class.

There are many people who consider Hedgewood Boy to be the best pacer in Readville. He has the speed, and with it perfect pacing manners.

Secretary Hiram W. Woods says the stands at the Readville meeting last week, into that the meeting was the most successful in the history of the track.

The black stallion Baron Max picked up a nail and was quite lame on the off fore foot during Belle Saturday. He trotted a right good race on the half-mile tracks.

Readville trained colts were first and second in the three-year-old pacing division American three. Bowler Futurity, and both of them belong to the Hodgdon brothers.

One of the keenest disappointments of the Readville meeting was Trixie Worthington, the Squantum pacer. Her race would indicate that a record 2.07 would do her good.

The $50,000 plum won by Allan Winter is likely to land Len McDonald at the head of the list of winning drivers for the year, even though six star performing, Amy Brooks, is on the shelf at present.

Early Ahg (2.07¾), who has failed to come up to expectations this season, has been transferred to Ormsby Ames's stable.

Kalamazoo is anxious to remain in the Grand Circuit, and is going to provide an immediate fund.

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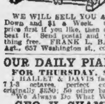

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BELL—In Charlestown, Sept. 1, John, beloved child of John J. and Mary Bell (nee Collins), 16 ds.
Funeral from parents' residence, 3 Pleasant st., Wednesday, Sept. 2, at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends kindly invited to attend.

CUMMINGS—In Charlestown, Sept. 1, Annie A., wife of George R. Cummings, 49 yrs. 10 mos. 7 ds.
Funeral from her late residence, 89 Green st., Thursday, Sept. 3, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

CALLANAN—In Dorchester, Aug. 31, Mary T., beloved child of Eugene and Mary Callanan, 8 yrs. 2 mos.
Funeral from parents' residence, 30 Pond st., Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Funeral private.

URQUHART—In Chesham, N. H., Aug. 31, Catharine S., beloved wife of Duncan Urquhart, 58 yrs.
Funeral from 9 Mansfield st., Everett, Mass., Thursday, Sept. 3, at 9 a. m. sharp. Services at Trinity Church, Copley sq., Boston, at 10:30 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment at Cedar Grove Cemetery, Milton, Mass.

GURLEY—In Roxbury, Aug. 31, Mabel F., beloved daughter of Samuel C. and Annie J. Gurley.
Funeral will be held from residence of her parents, 68½ George st. Funeral notice later.

HARRINGTON—In Arlington, Sept. 1, Thomas, beloved husband of Nora Haidan Harrington, 46 yrs.
Funeral from his late residence, 114 Warren st., Thursday, Sept. 3, at 8 a. m. High mass at St. Agnes' Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Late member Division 23, A. O. H., and Court Pride of Arlington, F. of A.

LYNCH—In Charlestown, Sept. 1, Michael, beloved husband of Rose Lynch, 63 yrs.
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McCARTHY—In Chelsea, Sept. 1, Eugene, twin child of Daniel J. and Ellen McCarthy (nee Sullivan), 7 mos. 15 ds.
Funeral from parents' residence, 97 Spencer av., Wednesday, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are kindly invited.

McCAULEY—In Roxbury, Sept. 1, Mary A. Dale, widow of James McCauley.
Funeral from residence of her sister, Mrs. James Kelley, 466 Parker st., Roxbury, Thursday, Sept. 3, at 8 a. m. Services at St. Francis de Sales' Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited to be present.

O'MALLEY—In South Boston, Aug. 31, by accident, John, beloved son of Matthew and Bridget O'Malley, 5 yrs. 3 mos.
Funeral from parents' residence, 131 B st., Wednesday, Sept. 2, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

PERRY—In Medford, Aug. 31, Wm. Perry, 53 yrs.
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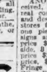

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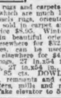

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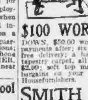

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LEGAL NOTICES.

INDEPENDENCE LEAGUE PRIMARY CALL.
The Independence League voters of the city of Boston are hereby requested to meet in their respective precinct polling places on Tuesday, Sept. 22, 1908, between the hours of 6 in the morning and 4 in the afternoon, to elect delegates to the State, councillor (Second and Fouth Districts) and county conventions, to nominate a candidate for the Third Councillor District, to nominate candidates for the Ninth, Tenth and Eleventh Congressional Districts, to nominate candidates for the Senate and Representatives to the General Court and to elect members of the State committee for the ensuing year. The various wards are entitled to send delegates to the State and county conventions as follows: Ward One, 10; Ward Two, 7; Ward Three, 6; Ward Four, 5; Ward Five, 5; Ward Six, 4; Ward Seven, 5; Ward Eight, 7; Ward Nine, 7; Ward Ten, 5; Ward Eleven, 2; Ward Twelve, 7; Ward Thirteen, 8; Ward Fourteen, 8; Ward Fifteen, 8; Ward Sixteen, 8; Ward Seventeen, 8; Ward Eighteen, 7; Ward Nineteen, 11; Ward Twenty, 14; Ward Twenty-one, 9; Ward Twenty-two, 11; Ward Twenty-three, 10; Ward Twenty-four, 12; Ward Twenty-five, 8. Wards in the Second and Fourth Councillor Districts are entitled to delegates to the conventions as follows: Second District—Ward Twenty, 14; Ward Twenty-one, 9; Ward Twenty-three, 10; Ward Twenty-four, 12. Fourth District—Ward One, 10; Ward Ten, 5; Ward Eleven, 2; Ward Twenty-five, 8. Primaries are to be held in accordance with the provisions of the law. INDEPENDENCE LEAGUE CITY COMMITTEE, JOHN T. DOBBYN, Chairman; JOHN M. PEASE, Secretary.

NOMINATION PAPERS.
Nomination papers must be filed in the office of the secretary of the Independence League City Committee, 204 Washington st., room 348, on or before 9 o'clock p. m., Saturday, Sept. 5, 1908. Nomination papers will be ready for distribution at the same office at 12 o'clock, noon, on Saturday, Aug. 22, 1908. The first hour for filing papers will be 12 o'clock, noon, on Saturday, Aug. 29, 1908.

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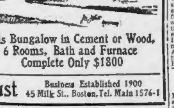

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30 ACRES—7-rm. house, stable 30x30, woodshed and shop, fruit, 5 min. to school, good neighborhood; a bargain on easy terms. Take 8.43 train (So. Sta.) for Rockland, Mass., then elecs to Manns Corner, my carriage waiting. A. T. CROSS. HENRY W. SAVAGE, 7 Pemb. Sq.

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2-FAMILY house $2,500, 9 rooms, 2 ranges, all imp., 5,200 ft. land, location good, great bargain. RUSH & CO., 1752 Dorchester av., Dorchester.

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TO BUY for home or investment; Everett, 3-family house, 15 rooms, all imp., 4,700 ft. land; rent $44 per month; price $4,000, part cash. THOMPSON, 756 Broadway, Everett.

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10-ROOM 2-family house, all imp., good yard, $3,600, $500 cash. THOMPSON.

3-FAMILY house, 14 rooms, all imp., 3,800 ft. land, $4,750, part cash. THOMPSON.

HOW IS THIS?—6-room cottage, 5,750 ft. land, $1,300, part cash. THOMPSON.

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2-FAMILY house, 11 rooms, all imp., 5,000 ft. land, $4,100, easy terms. THOMPSON.

7-ROOM cottage, 3,200 feet land, $1,950, $300 cash. THOMPSON, 756 Broadway, Everett.

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HERE is another good one; 6-room cottage; all imp., hot water heat, 2 ranges, hen house, 4,527 ft. land; price $2,500, part cash. THOMPSON.

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In last 12 months; buy land where it is increasing in value every day; most beautiful shore resort along entire South Shore; send for illustrated circulars. W. A. DUNHAM, 7 Water st., room 710.

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50 ACRES—$1,100.
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EGGS are going up; 5 henneries with yard, workshop, nice residence 6 rooms, barn 43x23, 8 stalls, carriage house, etc., all good, 11 acres smooth vegetable and small fruit land, 70 choice fruit trees, berries in variety, cuts 8 tons hay with machine, wood for home use and 40,000 pine timber to sell; price only $1,700, part cash, with express, buggy, democrat, new mower, horse, cow, 100 fowl, incubator, brooder, 4 harnesses, all machinery and tools. Details at CHAPIN FARM AGENCY, Old South bldg., Boston. Come 8:45 train; team waiting. FRANK WILLIAMS, Bridgewater.

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HOME SITES and garden plots, 12 miles out, at Norroway Lake, Randolph, $190; $2 down, $1 week; bungalow sites, $19; land close to lake, covered with beautiful groves and shade trees, free from rock; 1 acre will produce $1,000 worth garden truck; 27 houses built, $19,000 worth land sold; $25 bonus to builders; free excursion Sun. and Monday at 11. BARTLETT, 89 Court st.

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COTTAGE HOUSE, 5 large rooms and bathroom, henhouses, everything complete, vegetables, land enough to build six double houses; 3 min. to electric and steam cars; low price. FREEMAN & SWINSON, 233 Old South bldg., Boston.

100 Acres in So. N. H.
NEAR good markets and social advantages; 30 tons hay; 60 acres woodland, including pasture for 8 head; 7-room cottage house; barn for 15 head; price only $1,600; picture and description of other interesting features page 87, "List 21." E. A. STROUT CO., Old South Bldg., Boston.

25 MILES OUT—Nice little place, 10 acres, variety fruit, plenty wood, good stable, henhouses, etc.; price $1,400, half cash. BATES, 276 Tremont st., Boston.

REAL ESTATE MORTGAGES.
Set solid, 12½c. per line; displayed, 20c. per line.

BONDS—$20,000 6% first mortgage bonds at price to yield purchaser 7%, secured by successful industrial property which cost $61,967.62, with assets which aggregate over $100,000; business earning 20% on paid up capital. Address box 43, Austin, Tex.

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MASS AV.—Same owners 10 yrs.; income $130 above rent; price right; investigate. B. R. E. CO.

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A RARE opportunity to purchase an old est. paying news, stationery and talking machine store, as owner has to leave town; agencies for daily and Sunday papers, etc.; will inventory $2,200; liberal discount for cash if taken at once. Call or address NEWS STORE, 205 Main st., Fitchburg, Mass.

$400—CIGAR STORE, prominent corner; good stock and business; great bargain. COLLINS, 122 Shawmut av.

$650—PERIODICALS, conf., cigars; corner store; kind seldom offered for sale. COLLINS, 122 Shawmut av., Boston.

$350—FULL FLEDGED BAKERY and restaurant combined, right in heart of Boston. R. B. SIMONDS, 724 Washington st., Boston.

$350—LODGING HOUSE, 13 rooms, Tremont st.; pay $200, bal. in small payments. SIMONDS.

$750—LODGING HOUSE, 14 rooms, hot water heat, good location, So. End; others. WATTS.

BLACKSMITH BUSINESS—Good location, good trade; must sell; owner other business. WATTS, 15 School st., Boston.

$2,500 BUYS brick building, now occupied as barber shop, ground floor, five-room tenement above, splendid location for liquor or restaurant. W. H. WATSON, 9 Ladd st., Portsmouth, N. H.

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$50,000 to Loan on Lodging Houses.
I ALSO have for sale some excellent bargains in real good paying lodging houses, 10 to 25 rooms. WALTER WEBB, 23 Appleton st.

FOR SALE, or exchange for cigar or pool business, merry-go-round, perfect condition. DAVID ELLIS, New Bedford, Mass.

VARIETY store, near play grounds, fine place for man and wife; a bargain; owner going away. 700 Columbus av.

CORNER GROCERY, variety, 2 fur. rooms and bath; nice place for man and wife. 934 Harrison av.

$300—WIDOW MUST SELL 8 room lodging house, rent $36. R. B. SIMOND, 724 Washington st.

$350—13-ROOM lodging house, run by help; Tremont st.; small amount down. SIMONDS.

$700—18-room lodging house, clearing over $100 month; pay $300 down. R. B. SIMONDS.

PERFECT LITTLE GEM, variety store, I want $125, but your offer takes it; 2 furnished rooms connected; rent $10. R. B. SIMONDS.

I SELL STORES, lodging houses, lunch rooms, etc. "How about yours." R. B. SIMONDS, 724 Washington st., room 2, Boston. Tel. 21257 Oxford.

$1000—COMBINATION pool room, barber shop and cigar stand, 4 tables and 2 chairs, on one of our busy streets. MARCY & CO.

$350—FISH MARKET at the South End, old est. stand; no competition; cleans up good money every year. MARCY & CO., 101 Tremont st., Boston.

$250 GROCERY, branch bakery; little beauty; 2 rooms; nice place for man and wife. SUFFOLK.

$450—GROCERY STORE, Somerville, 4 elegant rooms; rent $18; clears $25 weekly; lifetime bargain. SUFFOLK CO., 258 Washington st., Boston.

RESTAURANT—Near auto mart, doing slick business; $850 cash; investigate this. BATES.

RESTAURANT—$2,000 cash buys old-established place, heart of city, or would sell half interest. BATES, 276 Washington st., Boston.

A PARTY to take care of Boston and surrounding territory with new up-to-date penny vending machine. For particulars, AUTOMATIC VENDING CO., New Haven, Ct.

25-ROOM lodging house, steam heated free; best location in Back Bay to rent rooms; death is the reason for selling. J. A. CRONIN, 126 Mass. av., cor. Boylston st., carriage service free.

HANCOCK ST.—Fine house, 15 rooms, two baths, steam heat; price $1,100. HAYDEN.

NEAR STATE HOUSE—Two small nice houses, price $650 and $600. HAYDEN, 6 Beacon st.

LODGING HOUSE—16 rooms; rented $750; snap. 3 Tremont row, room 17.

NICELY furnished lodging house, 14 rooms, rent $45, price $650. 119 W. Concord st., Boston.

FOR SALE—Half interest in a first-class U. S. patent. Address Box 447, Rockport, Mass.

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Freight Rates and Wage Rates

A Clear Explanation—Read It

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There is a very earnest effort now on the part of financiers and railroad managers to do two useful things—both useful to themselves and their watered stock—harmful to the country.

They want to raise their charges for freight in order to get more money from the people at large.

And they want to decrease wages in order to pay out to their employes a smaller percentage of what they get.

The English railroads are used as an argument, and the argument appears to need some elucidation. We print here a statement by a thoughtful, able and well-informed man. It ought to be read by citizens in general, by shippers and workingmen in particular. It explains not only the possibility of paying workingmen more and charging shippers less in America than in England, and at the same time making greater profits, it explains as well the general prosperity that prevails in this country when the public gets a chance. This statement, which we print with great pleasure, is intended for intelligent and thoughtful readers. Others will not enjoy it.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor of the BOSTON AMERICAN:

Mr. Yoakum, railroad president, has written an article, accompanied by diagrams, showing that the cost of freight transportation is infinitely greater in Great Britain than it is in the United States, and that the wages paid to railroad men here are nearly twice as great as they are in Great Britain.

Mr. Yoakum's figures are doubtless correct, but they are being used to misinform the public as to the status of railroads in this country. They are being used to show that the railroads in this country are not being treated fairly in the matter of freight charges.

It may be true that in some cases freight rates in the United States ought to be higher in order to give the railroads proper compensation, but that is in no way affected by the relative freight charges and wages items.

Railroads in Great Britain are all originally built in a substantial manner on purchased right of way, paid for at the very highest prices—a figure often in excess of the actual value of the land sought to be condemned. They run through a closely populated and a finished country. They are practically in the same condition that existed fifty years ago as regards their physical operation. They are not great carriers of commodities, because there is no place in England more than twenty-one miles distant from water transportation, and a tremendous amount of the heavy commodities is brought to the large cities by canal boats.

The real cause for lower wages and higher freights in Great Britain is the disinclination of the English people to change. A "goods train" will contain twenty cars, the highest capacity of any one of which is eight tons. Seven tons would perhaps be a high average.

Here we have the moving of 140 tons, operated by as large a crew as would suffice to move twenty cars of fifty tons each on the Pennsylvania Railroad or any other well equipped railroad in this country. Therefore, while the wages in England are lower, the cost of the wage item per ton is much larger there than it is in the United States.

I recently asked the manager of the biggest railroad in Great Britain why he used such small cars and operated in such an old-fashioned way. He replied that a change to larger cars and bigger trains would require an extension of depots and sidings that would be very costly, as the required land was situated in cities, where it had a high value. Second, that the facilities for loading and unloading were not controlled by the railroad companies, and that shippers who had to be consulted had at no time expressed themselves as being favorable to any change which would increase their investment for unloading purposes.

"To illustrate," he said, "all of the coal used in the West End of London—and, in fact, all over London, aside from places where there are dockage facilities—is unloaded from the railroad cars in baskets and sacked before being taken to the yard of the coal dealer. If we should use a fifty-ton car, such as you talk about in America, the dealer would object to being forced to take so large an amount to begin with, and again we would be subject to loss by the detention of the car while unloading."

He said that the matter of larger cars had been taken up with the forwarding companies, and they had all objected to being forced to increase their facilities, and without their co-operation the railroads could do nothing.

I had occasion to verify some part of his statement by personal observation shortly afterward. We waited at Liverpool three hours while some coal was being taken on the ship bound for New York. Ten cars of a capacity of eight tons each were run alongside the dock, and ladders were placed against their sides. The coal was shovelled into baskets which, I imagine, would hold about eighty pounds, and the coal heavers climbed down the ladders and dumped the coal into the vessel's coal hold.

With proper chutes the entire job could have been finished in twenty minutes. I asked the dock superintendent why they loaded coal in such a primitive fashion. He replied that they had always done it that way, and to change to a coal pocket system would require a lot of installation and throw a great many men out of work, and the men work very cheaply, anyway, and were only paid when actually employed.

The English people are satisfied with a small return for their money, and when an investment pays they don't care to take any risks. To such an extent does this practice of letting well enough alone go, both by workers and the manufacturers, that I believe I am perfectly justified in saying that in almost every manufacture carried on by the two countries, no matter how much less wages are paid in Great Britain, the wage cost in the United States is less to the manufacturer, by the reason of a vastly increased output, due to newer and more progressive machinery and to the American habit of rushing the product.

It is all the difference in the mental attitude of the two countries. In one they are satisfied with small interest and small wages; in the other capital demands excessive rates of interest, and expects an enormous output for the wages paid.

In regard to so-called government interference in regulations affecting the American railroads adversely, it is a fact that there is much more government regulation in England than has ever been dreamed of in the United States. All of the original railroad charters provided that there should be at least one train each day in both directions, carrying passengers for a maximum charge of two cents per mile, and these trains are known and run as "Parliamentary trains" to this day.

The Board of Trade officials who have charge of the regulation of

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NEVER AGAIN! By T. E. Powers

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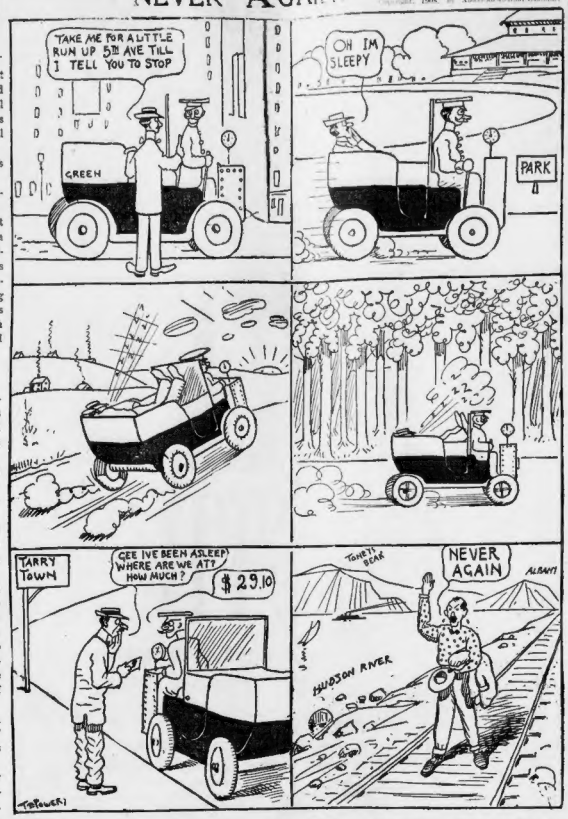

Freight Rates and Wage Rates

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the operation of railways in Great Britain have held the directors and managers to such strict accountability that in the year 1904 not a single passenger was killed in Great Britain or Ireland, and, outside of the Salisbury wreck, where the train was ditched by being run at too high a speed around a curve, where the accident was due to the misconduct of the engineer entirely, and in no sense to the equipment or management, there has been no loss of life worth speaking of among passengers since.

Even in the rural districts of England grade crossings are practically unknown, and in the few cases where they are permitted they are guarded by devices that make them absolutely safe.

The absence of grade crossings has forced the railroads in every case either to build embankments or depress their tracks, and the initial expense that entails has got to be paid for afterward as part of the cost of investment.

In many respects the railways of the United States are admirably designed and managed, but when a man like Theodore Shonts gets up and publicly announces that an awful catastrophe will occur unless legislatures and Congress are prevented from regulating railroad matters he puts himself on record as a man utterly devoid of understanding, or else as careless of his statements.

Without government regulation, which will insure every man equal rates and service from common carriers, the railroads of the United States would be absolute masters of every industry. The law against rebates, if properly enforced, would injure no man, but would place every individual and every producing district on an equal plane in the matter of transportation.

T. T. W.

Sorrow's Uses

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

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THE uses of sorrow I comprehend
Better and better at each year's end.
Deeper and deeper I seem to see
Why and wherefore it has to be.

Only after the dark, wet days
Do we fully rejoice in the sun's bright rays.

Sweeter the crust tastes after the fast
Than the sated gourmand's finest repast.

The faintest cheer sounds never amiss
To the actor who once has heard a hiss.

To one who the sadness of freedom knows,
Light seem the fetters love may impose.

And he who has dwelt with his heart alone
Hears all the music in friendship's tone.

So better and better I comprehend
How sorrow ever would be our friend.

FOXY QUILLER BUG ESCAPES!

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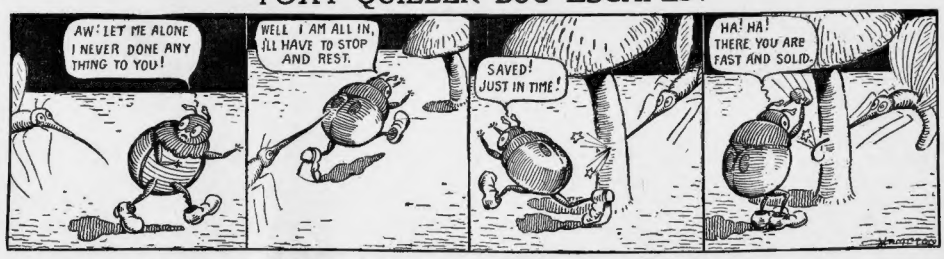
AW! LET ME ALONE I NEVER DONE ANY THING TO YOU!
WELL I AM ALL IN, I'LL HAVE TO STOP AND REST.
SAVED! JUST IN TIME!
HA! HA! THERE YOU ARE FAST AND SOLID.

GROUCHO THE MONK FINDS THE ANSWER

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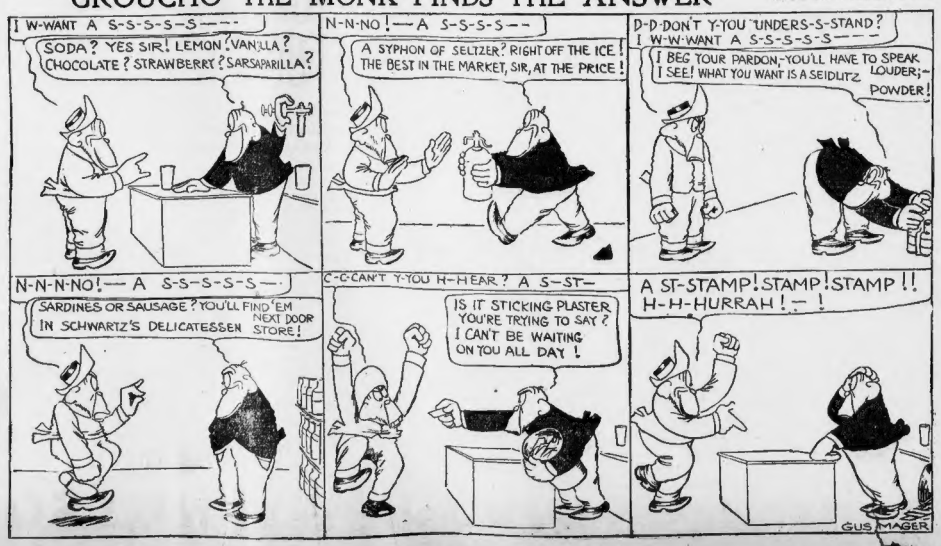
I W-WANT A S-S-S-S-S——
SODA? YES SIR! LEMON? VANILLA? CHOCOLATE? STRAWBERRY? SARSAPARILLA?
N-N-NO!—A S-S-S-S——
A SYPHON OF SELTZER? RIGHT OFF THE ICE! THE BEST IN THE MARKET, SIR, AT THE PRICE!
D-D-DON'T Y-YOU UNDERS-S-STAND? I W-W-WANT A S-S-S-S-S——
I BEG YOUR PARDON, YOU'LL HAVE TO SPEAK LOUDER; I SEE! WHAT YOU WANT IS A SEIDLITZ POWDER!
N-N-N-NO!— A S-S-S-S-S—
SARDINES OR SAUSAGE? YOU'LL FIND 'EM IN SCHWARTZ'S DELICATESSEN NEXT DOOR STORE!
C-C-CAN'T Y-YOU H-HEAR? A S-ST—
IS IT STICKING PLASTER YOU'RE TRYING TO SAY? I CAN'T BE WAITING ON YOU ALL DAY!
A ST-STAMP! STAMP! STAMP!! H-H-HURRAH!—!
GUS MAGER